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## DARROW'S STRONG PLEA

FAMOUS CHICAGO LABOR ORGANIZATION ATTORNEY SPEAKS FOR HAYWOOD.

## ADDRESS WAS IMPASSIONED ONE

Wants No Compromise, but Asks Jury to Either Free the Defendant or Hang Him by the Neck.

Boise, Idaho, July 24.—Clarence Darrow, for the defense, this morning began the closing address for his side of the case in the Haywood trial. The court room was crowded.

Mr. Darrow in opening declared the defendant is in Idaho as an alien, brought fifteen hundred miles from his home into a community and before a jury which does not view a life of industry as the men accused of the murder of Governor Steunenberg have been taught to look at it.

Darrow asked for no compromise. "This murder was cold-blooded, deliberate and cowardly in the extreme," said he. "If this man, sitting in his office 1,500 miles away, employed an assassin to do this cowardly act, then you ought to hang him by the neck until he is dead, but for God's sake, men, do not compromise. If you believe the story that has been told against this man beyond all reasonable doubt, then take him and hang him."

"He fought many a hard fight against the persecutors who are hounding him into this court. He has fought them on the open battle field, and he is not a coward. If he has to die, he will die as he has lived with his face to the foe."

"Bill Haywood is either innocent or guilty. If he is guilty I have nothing to say, but, men, this case is a case of Orchard from beginning to end. There is nothing at all left in the evidence without him."

Darrow launched into a lengthy and bitter denunciation of Attorney Hawley. He assailed him as a hired man actuated by no other motive than to get the money of the state of Idaho that he might build another addition to his house.

## STARKEY-BOND MARRIAGE

To Be Solemnized by the Rev. S. S. Martin Tonight.

A pretty wedding ceremony will be performed by Rev. S. S. Martin at 8 o'clock tonight, when John R. Starkey, of this city, and Miss Ollie B. Bond, formerly of Tipton, but now of Sedalia, will be united in wedlock at the home of the bride's father, W. C. Bond, 228 South Missouri avenue.

The event will be witnessed by a number of relatives and friends. The home is beautifully decorated with roses and smilax, and Miss Amelia Steinkrauss, of Tipton, will play the wedding march. For the time being the bridal couple will reside with the bride's father.

Among the out-of-town guests is Miss Bertha Remley, of Tipton, an intimate friend of the young lady. The wedding presents are numerous and beautiful, and among them is a piano presented to the bride by the groom.

Mr. Starkey is employed in the painting department of the Kelk carriage works, having been employed at that trade for the last seven years. He is a model young man, well liked by every acquaintance and many friends will join in extending congratulations.

Miss Bond is a refined and accomplished young lady, with a sweet disposition and many friends, all of whom join the Democrat-Sentinel in wishing the couple a long and happy married life.

## Fighters Were Fined.

Wade Wilfong and "Bob" Butler, janitor at the city hall, were arraigned in police court today, charged with fighting and disturbing the peace on East Main street. Butler pleaded guilty and was fined \$5. Wilfong fought the case and was found guilty, being fined a similar amount. He took an appeal.

## Charge a Serious One.

Wm. S. Bonner, an aged man from near Deepwater, was bound over this morning, says Tuesday's Clinton Democrat, on complaint of his step-daughter, who accuses him of accomplishing her ruin. In default of \$500 bond, he went to jail.

## Constable Love Goes to Springs.

Constable J. E. Love, who has been bedfast for several days with inflammatory rheumatism, went to Bonham Springs, west of Kansas City, this morning to sojourn until he recovers.

## Chief Operator is Ill.

Miss Blanche Donohue, chief operator for the Bell Telephone company, is on the sick list and laying off from duty.

## DEATH OF MRS. WALLACE

SHE WAS FOR MANY YEARS A RESIDENT OF THE QUEEN OF THE PRAIRIES.

## REMOVED FROM HERE TO DENVER

Her husband was formerly constable of Sedalia Township, but now conducts a hotel in Denver, Colo.

Mrs. W. D. Wallace, for many years a resident of Sedalia, who removed with her family to Denver, Colo., several years ago, died in that city last Saturday. The Denver Republican of Sunday had the following account of her death, and it will be perused with sorrow by a legion of friends in Sedalia:

Mrs. Ella M. Wallace, aged 61 years, wife of William D. Wallace, proprietor of the Grant hotel, 1922 Grant avenue, died yesterday at St. Luke's hospital of tumor of the brain after an illness of several months. She is survived by her husband and two sons, Dr. Gurney G. Wallace, of Denver, and Professor J. K. Wallace, of Los Angeles, Cal. She was born in Missouri, but had lived in Denver a number of years and was widely known here.

She was a sister of Mrs. John W. Smith and Mrs. Harry B. Tudor, of Denver, and Miss Belle Kipper and Mrs. John MacArthur, of Monte Vista. Funeral services will be conducted this afternoon by the Rev. B. B. Tyler, pastor of Broadway Christian church.

## THEIR WOODEN WEDDING

The Event Was Celebrated By Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Gray Tuesday.

T. F. Gray, clerk at the local post-office, and wife, residing at 1209 South Kentucky avenue, celebrated their wooden wedding anniversary at their home yesterday.

A small party of friends was present to assist in the celebration. Various amusements were had and during the afternoon refreshments of ice cream, lemonade and ices were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray were married in Sedalia by the late Rev. August Pfeiffer on July 23, five years ago. They have many friends here who will wish them the happiness of celebrating many more wedding anniversaries.

## This Lady Has No Chickens.

The lady living on West Broadway who has received three anonymous notes requesting that she keep her chickens at home desires to advise the writer of the note that she is not the owner of so much as a single "chick."

## The Man Was Not Robbed.

A stockman from Oklahoma, passing through here over the Katy with stock, complained to Officer Farmer today that he had been robbed of \$70 by a Katy employee. Investigation revealed he had spent the money in drink.

## Caters to His Patrons.

J. B. Rickman, J. P., has installed a new ice cooler in his office, which, he says, is for the convenience of the litigants and lawyers who "practice" in his court.

## A GREAT CARD TONIGHT

PROF. KOKICHI MORIMOTO TO LECTURE ON "THE YANKEES OF THE ORIENT."

## SEVENTH DAY OF CHAURAUQUA

The Amphion Male Quartet at 2:30 Tomorrow Afternoon—It is the Biggest Quartet on the Road This Year.

## Tonight at the Chautauqua.

8:00 p. m. Prof. Kokichi Morimoto, in his new lecture, "The Yankees of the Orient," illustrated with stereopticon views and moving pictures. Prelude concert at 7:30 by the Boston Lady Quartet.

## Tomorrow's Program.

10:00 a. m. Bible study, lecture by Prof. F. K. Farr, "Psalms of the King."

2:30 p. m. Concert by Amphion Male Quartet. (The biggest quartet on the road this year.)

8:00 p. m. "Modern Miracles of Science," by Prof. W. B. Patty. Wireless telegraphy, snowballs 200 degrees below zero, radium, etc., etc.

Prof. Kokichi Morimoto is tonight's attraction at the Chautauqua. Having made a great success on the same circuit last year, he has been brought from Japan, where he is a professor in the Imperial University. Sapporo, to lecture again this season at the Bartell Chautauquas. Last night at Emporia, Kan., he was heard by nearly 5,000 people. Prof. Morimoto completed his education in this country and was a member of the University of Chicago faculty for a time before accepting his present position in Japan. His lectures are enlivened by touches of wit which men of his nation know how to employ as deftly as their artists do the brush and pencil. The Chautauqua representatives here who have heard him elsewhere regard him, they say, as one of the strongest attractions of the whole course.

The Boston Lady quartet, which gave a concert this afternoon and will furnish the prelude concert tonight, is a group of young singers from the east, whose voices, separately or together, are very good. Among their selections are many of a high order of music. The work of their reader, the second alto, in the quartet, is especially pleasing.

Last night an interested and attentive audience heard the farewell concert of the Lyric quartet. (Outside the fence there was observably also an interested "gallery" of spectators in vehicles. Manager Casey should send a ticket seller round there evenings.) The Lyric ladies repeated by request several selections, and had saved some of their best music for the last.

The lecture of Prof. J. N. Tillman, of the University of Arkansas yesterday afternoon was something of a disappointment. President Tillman does not fall short in appearance and delivery, but his brief address lacked unity and left no very definite impression. He was greeted after the lecture by several old friends here in Sedalia, some of whom were heard to speak enthusiastically of the work he is doing at the head of the University of Arkansas.

A splendid male quartet comes tomorrow afternoon and the prelude concert in the evening—the Amphions. Four big, jolly singers who know all the quartet "stunts," they are said to be.

## PUT "FOOT EASE" IN COFFEE

For This Reason William Anderson Wants a Divorce.

Cleveland O., July 24.—William Anderson wants a divorce from his wife, May, on a cross petition filed in the common pleas court.

He charges that his wife put "foot ease" powder, used for making the wearing of tight shoes easy, in his coffee and the sugar bowl.

The mixture of "foot ease," sugar and coffee, he says, made him very sick and he was obliged to leave.

## They Had No Licenses.

Twelve residents of Sedalia have been arrested by Officer Barnett for operating a boarding house without a license. Their cases have not been set. Other arrests are to follow.

## Off for the Capital.

Charles W. Thatcher, the Virginian written of yesterday as locating a transcontinental roadway and advertising the Hearst papers, whose queer outfit attracted so much attention in front of the court house during the day, departed this morning for the state capital, where he expects to arrive Saturday night.

"It is so awfully hot," said Mr. Thatcher, "that I shall take it easy, and as I have some writing to do en route I do not expect to make more than fifteen miles a day."

## Enjoying Their Vacations.

Misses Georgia Teeling and Hettie Cooper, the former a Bell Telephone operator and the latter supervisor, are enjoying their week's vacation this week.

## SUIT FOR COMMISSIONS

MAJOR B. AND PROF. G. L. COLEMAN ARE PLAINTIFFS IN THE CASE.

## BUICK MOTOR CO. THE DEFENDANT

The Sedalia Gentlemen Ask for \$525 and Interest as Commission on Autos Sold Messrs. Cloney and Crouch.

Major B. Coleman and his brother, Prof. G. L. Coleman, through Attorneys Barnett & Barnett, today instituted suit for \$525, with 6 per cent interest from March 6, 1907, against the Buick Motor company, of Kansas City, in the Pettis county circuit court, alleging that defendant is indebted to them in the sum stated.

In their petition plaintiffs state that in February, 1907, they went to Chicago, where an automobile show was being held, for the purpose of securing the agency for selling the defendant's automobiles in Pettis county.

According to the allegations of the petition plaintiffs were directed to meet defendant's representatives at Kansas City in March 1907, which they did and closed a contract whereby they were to be the sole and exclusive agents for selling automobiles for the company in this county, to receive as pay for their services 15 per cent of the sum realized from the sale of machines.

Accordingly, so the petition states, plaintiffs induced W. H. Cloney and W. J. Crouch each to purchase one of the defendant's automobiles for the total sum of \$3,500.

Later, however, other representatives of the company sold Messrs. Cloney and Crouch their automobiles, and the defendant soon after canceled their contract with the plaintiffs, wherefore, plaintiffs ask the court to grant them their 15 per cent commission amounting to \$525, coupled with interest.

## STRIKE GETTING SERIOUS

Workmen Not Only Quitting Mines, But Going to Europe.

Superior, Wis., July 24.—As the result of the strike of the miners in this field, mine laborers are leaving in large numbers, many of the foreigners buying tickets to their homes in Europe.

New York, July 24.—The strike of the workmen in the ore mine of the Lake Superior fields is receiving serious attention from the officials of the United States Steel corporation. President W. E. Corey has the handling of the strike, the mines being under his supervision.

The announcement is made that the corporation will stand out for what its officials consider common justice in its fight with the Western Federation of Miners. They stand to the program adopted, which is to fight the battle without compromise.

## Want to Compromise.

Lincoln, Neb., July 24.—The five express companies doing business in the state today offered to reduce their rates 15 per cent instead of complying with the recent reduction made by the railroad commission and the latter have taken the matter under advisement.

## LEAGUE TWICE BEATEN

SIX SALOON KEEPERS AND HOTEL PROPRIETORS WERE DISCHARGED.

## POLITICS IS ENTERING CRUSADE

Society's Counsel Says Prosecutor May Be Mandamused for Refusing Warrants in the Mound City.

St. Louis, Mo., July 24.—In three departments of the city government the Missouri Law Enforcement League has met with reverses in attempts to prosecute suspected violators of the Sunday-closing order and hotelkeepers charged with keeping improper houses.

The precedent was set by Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Falkenhainer Tuesday, when he refused to issue a warrant for the arrest of Michael Mooney, who has a saloon at No. 1006 Chestnut street. Justice O'Hallaron, sitting in the Dayton street police court, for Judge Pollard, yesterday discharged a clerk and proprietor of a hotel on Locust street and Leffingwell avenue, who were arrested on evidence collected by the league on a charge of selling liquor without a license.

Excise Commissioner Mulvihill followed suit, and for want of evidence dismissed six saloonkeepers charged with violations by representatives of the Law Enforcement League.

The men were before the excise commissioner on charges of keeping disorderly houses. They are: Butler & Steger, No. 2900 Morgan street; Charles Egging, No. 2801 Franklin avenue; A. J. Cueny, No. 1401 North Grand avenue; James Smith, No. 2800 Locust street; William Hoeltger, No. 2700 Olive street; John Jackson, No. 827 North Ewing; Michael Mooney was released, but cited to appear upon a date not named.

All evidence was collected by methods to which Mr. Falkenhainer took exception.

Judge O'Hallaron, in dismissing the case against the Locust street hotel-keeper, made no comment, and reasons for summary disposal of the complaints remain unassigned. Yesterday morning it was said politics had entered into the controversy, and that several politicians had called upon headquarters of the league and requested that the matter be dropped for a few days on the ground that it might be construed to mean the republican party was in favor of a general lid-lifting.

Owing to the heat yesterday the meeting of the executive board of the league did not take place, but Attorney Blair talked over matters with members, and said later they would file affidavits with Prosecuting Attorney Moss, and if warrants could not be obtained there the circuit court would be asked to issue a writ of mandamus, compelling issuance.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Falkenhainer is in receipt of a letter of commendation from the Missouri Christian Conference. It is signed by George C. Stoll, No. 3808 Finney avenue, secretary of the conference and administers a severe rebuke to the Reverend Mr. Lindsay, of the league, and his detectives. It says:

"If the directors of the Missouri Law Enforcement League encourage reprehensible methods and principle is cast to the wind, then the time has come for the press and public to denounce the organization. The Reverend Mr. Lindsay cannot expect to have the sympathy of the public with him when he resorts to nefarious and infamous tactics to get the support of the few people who are suffering from an attack of moral hysteria. I congratulate you."

## TEACHERS ARE CHOSEN

Miss Bessie Bowers to Teach Latin in the High School.

The teachers' committee of the Sedalia school board met at Secretary A. W. McKenzie's office this forenoon and elected Miss Bessie Bowers to teach Latin in the high school.

The resignation of Miss Cattie Hughes, who had been granted a year's leave of absence, and after returning had resigned, was accepted, and Miss Ethel Stanley was elected to succeed her.

## Mrs. W. J. Crouch Was Hostess.

Mrs. W. J. Crouch was hostess to the members of the Thursday club at her home this forenoon. Mrs. W. H. Cloney won the guest prize, a hand-painted plate, while the club prize, a cut glass dish, went to Mrs. C. P. Brown. Refreshments of salads and orange ice were served.

## The Country Club Dance.

The Country club party scheduled for Thursday night will not be given until Saturday night, when members are urged to be present, carrying their lunches with them.

## Has Position in Sedalia.

Miss Mary Payden, a young lady of Jefferson City, has accepted a position as operator at the Bell Telephone company's office here.

## A JURY FAILED TO AGREE

MEN DELIBERATE TWO DAYS IN CASE OF ILLINOISAN WHO SUED BANKER.

## A WOMEN'S AFFECTIONS INVOLVED

Suit for Damages Followed Suit for Divorce, in Which Neither the Husband Nor the Wife Could Get Decree.

Marion, Ill., July 24.—The jury which heard the case of C. A. Bell, a former merchant, who sued Shannon Holland, president of the First National bank, for \$20,000 damages, alleging the alienation of the affections of Mrs. Bell, has failed to agree and has been discharged.

The twelve men received the case at 10 p. m. Saturday, and after deliberating almost forty-eight hours, reported to the judge that they could not agree, and were discharged.

Bell's suit was the outgrowth of a notable divorce trial a year ago, in which a separation was denied to Bell, and Mrs. Bell lost on her cross bill. Following the divorce case, in which Bell accused Holland, Bell filed a petition in bankruptcy and Mrs. Bell departed for Marion.

During the alienation trial Bell introduced witnesses who swore that they had seen his wife and Holland together on many occasions. Holland took the stand and denied any misconduct between him and Mrs. Bell. He swore that there never had been any improper meetings between him and the former merchant's wife.

Holland offered testimony that Bell had spoken of his relations with other women, and a former sheriff of Williamson county testified for the defense that Bell had sought a compromise with Holland.

## A CHANGE IN THE NAME

Meeting of Retail Grocers' Association Last Night.

The Retail Grocers' association met last night and changed its name to the Retail Merchants' association, so that in the future dry goods men, butchers and all persons engaged in any form of legitimate merchandising may be eligible to membership.

The reports of the committees on the recent convention held here showed that the receipts from the printed programs were \$329, and there is still in the treasury \$200, after paying all of the expenses of the state meeting.

A vote of thanks was returned the Sedalia Elks and local newspapers for courtesies extended during the convention.

It was decided to appoint a committee on advertising, one of the members to be a newspaper man, with a view to protecting the members from all "fake" advertising schemes.

## Are On the Sick List.

Ira N. Sprecher, eldest son of Sheriff Sprecher, is confined to his home with fever, under the care of Dr. W. G. Cowan. He is about the same today.

Miss Annie Ruby Dillard, daughter of Joe Dillard, is also confined to her home with fever, under Dr. Overstreet's care. She, too, is about the same today.

## SCENES WERE TOUCHING

STEAMER ELDER ARRIVED WITH SOME SURVIVORS OF ILL-FATED COLUMBIA.

## MANY FOND HOPES DESTROYED

Relatives of Passengers Were Grievously Disappointed When Their Loved Ones Were Not Found Among the Rescued.

Astoria, Ore., July 24.—The steamer George W. Elder arrived here this morning, bringing a number of the survivors of the ill-fated Columbia.

Among them were the following: H. R. Ewart, Oklahoma City; Fred Rogers, Enid, Okla.; C. E. Mayhew, Enid, Okla.; Dwight Casner, Lead, S. D.; Henry Kunst, no address given; Jay Brotherton, Indian territory; town not known; Effie Gordon, Indian territory, town not known; J. C. Orr, Schuyler, Neb.; Joseph Lann, no address.

There were pitiful scenes when it was learned that the Elder had picked up none of the Columbia's life boats or rafts. Indeed, the vessel had not even sighted any of the missing rafts or boats and had picked up none of the victims after leaving Eureka.

All night long an eager throng waited on the docks here for the arrival of the Elder, hundreds of persons coming from Portland and various other towns in Oregon and Washington in the hope of greeting their loved ones. Among the crowd, however, were many sad-faced relatives, hoping against hope that their dear ones would come on the steamer. Cheer upon cheer was given when the steamer was sighted and touching scenes of joy were enacted when the survivors finally landed and embraced their waiting relatives. Happiness was mixed with the grief of those who at last turned away, knowing those they sought had indeed been lost.

## WED AT THE NOON HOUR

Mr. Harry Laipple and Miss Marie Teeling By Fr. Neiberg.

Harry Laipple, salesman at the Famous Clothing company store, and one of the city's energetic and industrious young men, and Miss Marie T. Teeling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Teeling, of South Ohio avenue, were quietly married by Rev. Fr. Neiberg at the parochial residence of Sacred Heart church at high noon today.

Mr. Edward Brill and Miss Georgia Teeling, a sister of the bride, officiated as best man and bridesmaid. The wedding was attended only by immediate relatives.

The bridal couple left this afternoon for a week's visit at Kansas City and Liberty, Mo., after which they will visit in the Mound City and then return here to reside.

The bride is an accomplished and popular young girl and will doubtless make a model wife, and a large circle of friends will join the Democrat-Sentinel in extending hearty congratulations.

## WED BY THE REV. BAKER

Mr. John M. Reno and Miss Nina M. Cochran Today.

John Reno, a former Katy fireman, now employed at Mitch Finnegan's laundry, and Miss Nina Cochran, daughter of Mrs. M. Cochran, of 1008 East Third street, were married by the Rev. Clarke Baker at the home of the bride's mother at 11 o'clock this morning.

The wedding was attended by a number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties, and after the ceremony a wedding dinner was served. The bridal couple went to Kansas City this afternoon to spend their honeymoon and will return here to reside.

Both Mr. Reno and his young bride are popular young people, with a legion of friends, who join in extending congratulations.

## Death of an Infant.

The six months old child of Louis Hinken, of 202 West Cooper street, died this morning. The body will be shipped to Lake Creek for burial.



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THE LATEST BAD WRECK

The wreck on the Pere Marquette railroad last Saturday was one of the worst railroad disasters that has occurred in this country. It belongs, like most of the others which have preceded it, to the class caused by criminal carelessness. It is a repetition of the old story of negligence and faulty management which has made American railways the terror of the world.

There was no more excuse for the slaughter of a coach load of passengers and the maiming of two or three other coach loads than there would be for a company of soldiers to "forget" and fire loaded instead of empty cartridges at each other in a sham battle.

The railroad company says the collision was caused by the conductor of the freight train disobeying orders. This may be true. It is evident that the men in charge of one of the trains erred, provided others connected with the operation of trains did their duty. A railroad company is quick to place the blame for accidents where it results in the least censure for the executive department. An employee or a minor official is made to bear the brunt of responsibility for catastrophes in practically every instance.

No matter how weak, careless or inefficient may be the management of the company, those in higher authority seldom are brought to account or punished for what in reality is a monumental crime. Broadly speaking, it may be said there is never an excuse for a wreck costing a large number of lives. There should be no bad wrecks at all, and there would be none if railroads were better regulated by law and made to provide the proper safeguards in equipment and signals.

NO CAUSE TO WORRY OVER SIZE OF ARMY.

General Bell, chief of staff, thinks the army is going to rack and ruin. It is not big enough to begin with, and is growing smaller all the time. It also has other faults, but paucity in numbers is the worst. The reason, according to General Bell's view, why there are too few men in the army is because they are not paid enough. The wages of privates are only \$13 a month. In addition to his regular living expenses, which, allowing \$5 a week for board and bed, would make his services to the government bring him in a gross return of \$33 or \$35 a month. This is about \$1.25 a day. Able bodied, unskilled laborers are able to earn from \$1.50 to \$2 and more a day, according to the locality and work offered.

Men who have ambition and a fair measure of pride choose the work at home with its more lucrative remuneration and opportunities for self improvement. They give the army a wide berth. The result is that a large proportion of the material that goes

into the army is social and industrial riff-raff. Many criminals culist to conceal their identity or escape the penitentiary. The loafer and the village "no account" find their way into the ranks after all other devices for living on the community have been exhausted. Very few who enlist are capable, self-sustaining, reliable men. In a sense they are better off under the restraints and discipline of military life than as trouble makers at home.

But what kind of army do they make? How much are they worth in the supreme test of war? Our regular army is not and never has been dependable for meeting any grave emergency, such as a civil or international conflict. It is too small to be of consequence, even if its quality were high. The volunteer is the safeguard of American independence and prestige. There is more strength in a regiment of civilians who drop their vocations in defense of the country than in two regiments of any standing army on earth where service is compulsory, as in Europe, or where it is cheaply rendered, as in the United States.

The military ought to be sufficient in size and order to guarantee domestic order. To this end its needs are rather of quality than of numbers. In case of war that might test our national strength it would be only the nucleus of an army and an insignificant nucleus at that. What we should have to meet such possibilities are well trained, intelligent, capable officers who could in an emergency drill hosts of courageous civilians. There is no cause for worry over the size of our standing army; it can be increased as desired by simply raising the pay.

Vice President Fairbanks is now reported as being in an automobile accident. Almost or not quite?

The verdict in the Haywood case is the next important event on the worlds calendar.

Senafor Foraker is opposed to a revision of the tariff. This ought to settle the question.

The trouble over in Korea is enough to excite the ridicule of even Kentuckians.

MAY INDOSE HEARST

Thomas L. Hisgen Boomed for Governor of Massachusetts.

Springfield, Mass., July 24.—Thomas L. Hisgen, of this city, will be boomed for governor of Massachusetts, with a possibility of the indorsement of William Randolph Hearst for the presidency, at a monster banquet to be held tonight at the Highland hotel under the auspices of the Massachusetts Independence league. Many of the most prominent lights of the democratic party in the New England states will speak.

In Western Massachusetts the Independence leagues, which are organized among the mill and shop men, appear to have agreed as a unit on the effort to nominate Mr. Hisgen for the governorship, and it is certain he will be a great factor in the conventions of the league and the democratic party in the fall.

His nerve and audacity in waging an independent warfare against the Standard Oil company have made him the choice of all foes of monopolies and trusts. Hisgen was the author of the anti-monopoly bill which created such a stir during the recent legislature, but his efforts to curb the trusts were nullified by the state senate.

When there is the slightest indication of indigestion, heartburn, flatulence or any form of stomach trouble take a little Kodol occasionally and you will be afforded prompt relief. Kodol is a compound of vegetable acids and contains the juices found in a healthy stomach. Kodol digests what you eat, makes your food do you good. Sold by Arlington pharmacy.

No Danger Signal Last Night.

There was no danger signal displayed last night on the rock pile in front of W. J. Crawford's West Fourth street residence. A lantern was perched upon the pile of macadam, but it was not lighted, and several vehicles collided with the obstruction during the night.

Call 'Phones—Bell 1900, Q. C. 1000—and our wagon will call for junk, correct weight; highest prices.—Cohen Junk Co., 201 E. Main street.

**MONEY TO LOAN**  
**JOE DONNOHUE**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
ESTD. 1889 — 309 OHIO ST.

A TRIP FOR ENGINEERS

AMERICAN INSTITUTE TO CONCLUDE ITS BUSINESS SESSION TODAY.

PAY A VISIT TO COBALT, CANADA

Two Lumbermen, McKinley and Daragh, Were the First to Discover the Hidden Wealth of the Mines.

Toronto, Ont., July 24.—Delegates in attendance at the convention of the American Institute of Mining Engineers will conclude the business of the session today and during the coming week will make excursions to Cobalt, the mining districts of southeastern Ontario and other points of scientific interest in the province.

Of greatest interest to the engineers and mine experts gathered here from all parts of North America will be the visit at Cobalt, despite the recent strike that has temporarily put an end to the industrial activities of Canada's richest silver mines.

Not many years ago the Cobalt district was an almost uninhabited stretch of barren, rocky country, free of vegetation and apparently worthless. Since then Cobalt has made many millionaires and will likely create many more.

Two lumbermen, McKinley and Daragh, were the first to discover the hidden wealth of Cobalt. Like many other great discoveries, the finding of silver in the barren hills was an accident. A log which McKinley had been chopping rolled over and disclosed beneath a mass of oxidized ore. Examining it closely, the lumberman excitedly called his partner. "Lead, by jimmy!" he shouted. Before saying anything about their find the men filed on a couple of claims. Then a sample was sent to a chemist, who reported that the "lead" was silver of an exceptionally good quality, running 2,300 ounces to the ton. Since the lucky day when McKinley overturned the log and found a fortune hidden beneath, the McKinley-Daragh mine has produced millions of dollars in silver and will doubtless yield as much more.

Most remarkable of all the many tales of lucky strikes in the Cobalt district is that of the building of the Temiskaming & Northern Ontario railroad. In the grading of this road the laborers threw aside hundreds of dollars worth of silver with each shovelful of dirt. It was only after rumors of silver finds had begun to circulate that the contractors commenced to investigate and within a week had found \$200,000 worth of silver scattered along the right of way.

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System simplifies the work: therefore, have a system.

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Buckwheat is a good egg food, but is often refused by the fowls until they become familiar with it.

Is it your luck or your negligence when a civit cat or a rat gets into a faulty coop and kills a half-dozen fries?

A combination of poultry, bees, small fruit, vegetables and garden plants will bring large returns from a very small plot of ground.

The incubators are being set away to rust and rusticate during the rest of the summer and fall. Paint the tank with oil to keep it from rusting.

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HICKS THE GROCER

UNION TRACTION COMPANY

Orders Placed for \$3,000,000 Worth of Materials.

Chicago, July 24.—With the final hearing today on all claims to determine the distribution of the securities in the new company, the final obstacle in the way of the reorganization of the Union Traction company has been overcome.

Judge Grosscup recently gave the arbitrators full power to settle all differences that have impeded the progress of reorganization and today's hearing will probably complete their labors.

The work of rehabilitating the traction lines is proceeding rapidly under the supervision of Chief Engineer B. J. Arnold. Orders have already been placed for over \$3,000,000 worth of materials.

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BACK TO LONG AGO

OLD-TIME SCENE RECALLED BY MR. PAROKEYAL.

And Understanding, He No Longer Felt Aggrieved That He Had Sacrificed His Evening Smoke—Willing Victim.

"One evening at dinner in the latter part of May," said Mr. Parokeyal, "the wife asked me if I wouldn't like to go to the May services at church that evening—with her, of course. I caught her exchanging a glance across the table with our eldest boy, a tyke of ten, when she made the suggestion to me. Therefore said I to myself right away, it was a put up job.

"But there I was. No way to get out of it. I thought a bit aggrievedly of the comfortable, lolling smokes I'd miss if I went, and I experienced just a teeny touch of resentment over the rather smooth and serene way I was being chiseled out of 'em. But there was no way out.

"Why, certainly, mother, I'll go—glad to," said I, as hearty as I could make it, and then again I caught that significant exchange of glances between the boy and his mother, just as if they'd achieved some kind of a victory or other.

"Well, the boy executed his usual disappearance soon after dinner, and then, allowing me to burn up just one cigar, my wife began to hustle and bustle me around, and presently we were on our way to the May services. I had to grin a bit sheepishly as we drew nigh the portal.

"Fine work for you, little lady," said I to the boy's mother. "Do you know how many years it's been since I attended May evening services?"

"Please don't tell me," said she. "I don't want to hear. And don't ever say anything like that before the children—you know how they notice those chance remarks," and with that we were inside the cool, fragrant church and on our way up the center aisle to the pew.

"Well, well, what a long stretch of years that fragrance took me back across—that mingled fragrance of roses and drifting incense. Noticed it the minute I set foot within the church—first the smell of the roses that were heaped up on the main altar and on the side altar, and then, as we got inside, that other aroma of the incense. I declare that those two fused fragrances—and they go mighty well together, if you've ever noticed—just clean picked me up and set me back on the road a good 30 years, and a good bit of that road right hard going at that.

"The wife and I sat down in the pew, and I was listening to some of the old familiar May evening music, full of dim reminiscences, when the mother gave me a slight nudge.

"I turned and looked at her, and her eyes were shining mighty bright, sure enough. And she was nodding in the direction of the altar. I thought that she meant that she wanted me to stop looking around at the decorations and things and to pay attention to what was going on at the altar, and so I followed her gaze.

"Well, then I understood the meaning of that put up job between the boy and his mother.

"For there was the boy on the altar in surplice and cassock, at the right hand of the priest, at that. I understood, all right.

"When I turned to her again her eyes were still shining away like as if they'd—but, when it comes to that, I couldn't see her very well myself, for it all came a-romping back to me in an instant that she looked just exactly, for all the world, like my own little mother had looked, away back yonder over the craggy path of the years, when she'd seen me diked out in cassock and surplice for the first time—for all the world and to the life! Same shining, stary eyes, same trembling around the corner of the month, same speaking pride of the features—the joy of the mother-woman when she sees one of her own taking part for the first time in a rite at any kind of shrine!

"That's why she'd got me out of my armchair to attend the May evening services. The conspiracy between her and the boy stood revealed. But I didn't feel aggrieved about those sacrificed smokes any longer!"

New Cure for Baldness.

For his curious theory that baldness is due to lack of upper chest breathing, Dr. Delos M. Parker, of the Detroit College of Medicine, claims verification by thousands of observations during many years. No victim of common baldness was found who breathed properly. The lungs being imperfectly filled and emptied, it is supposed that residual air is left in the upper passages, and develops a soluble poison. This poison specially affects the scalp, where the skin is practically bloodless, and, therefore, of low vitality. Persistent return to correct breathing has been followed by disappearance of dandruff in one week and beginning of a new growth of hair in six weeks and a fresh covering has been developed on a head that had been bald 20 years.

Exculpated.

The regular patron was indignant as the waiter spilled the soup. "You're tipsy!" he exclaimed. "Couldn't be on your tips. See?" responded the waiter; at least not so inebriated as to impede his mental processes.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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TRIAL IS POSTPONED

Former County Treasurer Now at Work as Section Hand.

Aurora, Mo., July 24.—The preliminary trial of County Clerk W. B. Langley, of Stone county, on the charge of forgery, in connection with the investigation into the affairs of the Stone county officials, was postponed yesterday, owing to Langley having asked a change of venue. It will be several days before the case comes to trial.

The charge against Langley, formerly county treasurer, is that a warrant was raised from \$19.27 to \$29.27.

Long, another former treasurer, who is under bond for his appearance at the October term of the Stone county circuit court, is at work on the Missouri Pacific railroad as a section hand, having been less than a month ago county treasurer of Stone county.

Bad sick headaches, biliousness or constipation are quickly relieved by DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small pill, sure pill, safe pill—prompt and pleasant in action. Sold by Arlington pharmacy.

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SEDALIA, MO., AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MAY 20, 1907.

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and discounts.....\$893,412 82	Capital Stock.....\$100,000 00
Overdrafts.....4,766 74	Surplus and Profits.....115,494 57
Bank Building.....15,500 00	Circulation.....100,000 00
Real Estate.....1,450 00	Deposits.....1,653,380 32
U. S. Bonds and Premiums.....152,600 00	
5 Per Cent Redemption Fund.....5,000 00	
Cash and Sight Exchange.....296,115 33	
Total.....\$1,368,784 89	Total.....\$1,368,784 89

The above statement is correct, W. H. Powell, Cashier.



## LAWNS

### AT CUT PRICES

Owing to the late season and to get in readiness for fall business we have decided to reduce the prices on our lawns to a figure that will cause an immediate clearance. All this season's goods—fresh and new. They are exceptional bargains at the price.

### 10c and 12½c Lawns for 7½c

All the beautiful patterns are comprised in this lot—grounds of tan, blue, pink, white, black and white—with every conceivable design. Lawns that we have sold all along at 10c and 12½c, we price them for quick selling at 7½c.

We are showing a beautiful line of white goods—India linens, swisses, Persian lawns, etc.—from 10c to 50c per yard.

## C. E. MESSERLY

### Manila Items

Manila, July 23.  
Mr. J. J. Ragar is numbered with the sick this week.

The Manila farmers are busy making hay.

Miss Dinela Beathards visited Miss Nellie McNutt Saturday night.

Ezra Ragar and wife, of Kansas City, are visiting the latter's parents this week.

George Francis returned home Thursday from Texas, where he has been for the past four months.

Henry Logan and family and Mrs. C. E. Beard and family dined with Mrs. Mary Durrill and Cecil Whippas Sunday.

Elmer Bratton returned one day last week from the Kansas harvest field.

Mrs. Scott Carpenter and little daughter spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Milt Durrill and daughter, Grace.

Mrs. Mary White and children, of Edenville, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keytes, this week.

Grandpa and Grandma Walton and Carl Archias, of Ionia, spent last week with Mrs. C. E. Beard.

Mrs. J. J. Walkup and family dined with Mrs. S. J. Myers Sunday.

Misses Geneva and Meda Jordan, Nora Mowery, Messrs. Charley Mowery, Roy Greer and Floyd Davidson dined with C. E. Francis and family on last Sunday.

The ice cream social at Manila will be Saturday night the 27th, instead of the 24th.

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## ROAD BED IS NOT SO BAD

MISSOURI PACIFIC TRACK IS ABOUT AS GOOD AS THAT OF OTHER ROADS.

### SO SAY MEN WHO INSPECTED IT

President Sheppard, of the Track men's Union, Wanted Commissioners to Look Only After Bad Pieces of Track.

"There will be no formal report on the condition of the Missouri Pacific tracks in Kansas until Mr. Kanavel, the chairman of the board, is able to prepare it."

This is the statement given out by the state board of railroad commissioners.

Commissioners Frank Ryan and C. A. Ryker arrived in Topeka Tuesday, but Mr. Kanavel, who was taken sick as a result of overwork while on the inspection trip, is still unable to be about.

"We certainly had a hard trip, and did a thorough job," said Commissioner Ryan, who is nursing a pair of badly sunburned wrists. "We tramped over mile after mile of that right of way, and saw good track, bad track and indifferent track."

"Those places where the track is in dangerous condition are marked, and the trains are all given 'slow orders' when passing over that track. The track is being put in shape, and the railroad people are repairing it as fast as possible."

"What did Sheppard think about the inspection," was asked.

"He said it was a blankety-blank outrage," said Mr. Ryan. "He didn't want us to look at any portions of the track except the bad portions."

"Mr. Sheppard seems to have some motives in this matter which are other than to bring about the improvement of the road. He wants some publicity for his trackmen's union, and I guess he is getting it."

"He seems to be trying to force the officials of the road to recognize the existence of his union. As a strict legal proposition, he had nothing to do with the recent investigation. It was made solely on the initiative of the board."

"We could not take up Mr. Sheppard's complaint because the issues had not been made up. But we had the authority to make an investigation on our own initiative, and that's what we did."

"I think it is likely that the Missouri Pacific track is in no worse condition than the tracks of other roads. I looked at some Frisco track while we were out and found it to be in as bad condition as the Missouri Pacific. However, we expect to examine the tracks of other railroads. It will not be limited to the Missouri Pacific."

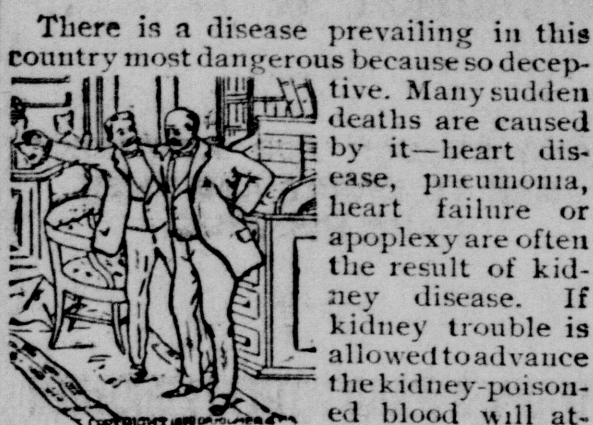
"I don't know when we will resume our investigation. We want Mr. Kanavel to recover from his illness first."

Nearly all old-fashioned cough syrups are constipating, especially those that contain opiates. They don't act just right. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup contains no opiates. It drives the cold out of the system by gently moving the bowels. Contains honey and tar, and tastes nearly as good as maple syrup. Children like it. Sold by Arlington pharmacy.

### Desertion Is Charged.

Anamosa & England have brought suit in the circuit court for Edward Burns, colored, who seeks a divorce from Rosa Burns, on the grounds of desertion. The couple was married October 14, 1886, and separated August 30, 1906.

## The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.



There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.

Bladder troubles almost always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

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### WED BY REV. CASKEY

Mr. James M. Rose and Miss Minnie Porter Tuesday Night.

Mr. James M. Rose, a popular young business man of Sedalia, and Miss Minnie Porter, daughter of Mrs. J. C. Porter, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother, 615 Wilkerson street, at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday night, the Rev. J. F. Caskey, pastor of the Fifth street M. E. church, South, officiating, in the presence of only the immediate relatives. The wedding march was played by Miss Luther, but there were no attendants. Following the ceremony refreshments were served and an informal reception was held.

The bridal couple are at home with the bride's mother, and the best wishes of a legion of friends are with them.

### GAVE HIS MESSAGE VERBATIM.

Youth's Practical Answer Shattered Court's Dignity.

Success Magazine says: It is told of the late Chauncey Shafer, who bears the same relation to New York's "anecdote" that Sidney Smith does to London's, that he employed in his law office a stunted youth of very tractable temperament. One day Mr. Shafer returned from lunch in a lively mood, and by token of the Madeira he had consumed, summoned Billy into his private office. "Boy," he said, "go over to the special train and see what in h— they're up to there." The late Judge Brady was presiding over the trial of an action involving many interesting questions of substantive law. Hence, the courtroom was empty save for the litigants, their counsel and the necessary witnesses. Judge Brady's kindness toward women and children was proverbial, and when Billy stood against the railing of the inclosure, his face barely reaching over the balustrade, the judge noticed him immediately. He interrupted the argument of counsel and turned to Billy. "Well, my lad," he said in suave, judicial accents, "what can I do for you?" "I'm from Mr. Shafer's office," Billy replied, "and he wants to know what in h— you're up to over here."

### THE "BEST MAN'S" MISTAKE.

Wedding Feat That Surely Must Have Astonished Minister.

As the young man was donning his evening suit preparatory to keeping a social engagement he ran his hand into his pocket and was surprised to find an envelope there. On opening it he discovered \$25 in bills. "Now, where in thunder did I take on all this money?" he said. "It isn't mine, for I never carry my bills around in an envelope." Then he sat down to think where he had worn the suit and how he had come by the \$25. "The last place I wore it," he mused finally, "was when I was best man at a wedding a month ago. But I gave the minister his money. I remember distinctly giving him something, and it must have been his fee. If I didn't give him the money, what in the world did I give him?" He called up the clergyman by phone. "Do you mind telling me," he asked, "what I gave you for a fee at Blank's wedding?" The answer came back very distinctly and cuttingly. "Young man, you gave me a box of vile-smelling cigarettes."

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## CHICAGO NEWS LETTER

BY REGULAR CORRESPONDENT

Special to the Democrat-Sentinel.

Chicago, July 24.—If New York reports are true, it lies in the power of Governor Deneen, of Illinois, to settle the fight between E. H. Harriman and Stuyvesant Fish over the successor to the late John C. Welling on the directorate of the Illinois Central. Harriman is trying to elect A. G. Hackstaff, secretary of the road, but he controls only seven votes, out of a necessary eight. The Fish group of directors are opposed to Harriman's choice and insist that as Welling was a Fish supporter his successor shall at least be some one who is not connected with either faction. At present Governor Deneen is siding with Fish, but his vote is all that would be necessary to elect Hackstaff and entrench Harriman more firmly in control of the Illinois railroad.

As the result of a supreme court decision of importance to lumbermen and lumber manufacturers throughout the west, five million dollars will be refunded to lumbermen of this city by southern railroads within the next two months. This opens the way for litigation to force the western railroads to make similar refunds. The fight which has just ended was over and illegal discrimination of two cents per hundred pounds on yellow pine, and the refunds will cover a period of five years.

That Chicago is not today the leading city of Wisconsin, instead of Illinois, is due to circumstances forming an interesting and almost forgotten chapter in American history which has just been brought to public attention in an effort to account for the apparently arbitrary boundary line between the two states. If the government records are to be believed, the members of congress in the early part of the last century were more farsighted than we are apt to credit them with being. The fact is that in determining the Illinois-Wisconsin boundary they took into consideration what has today become an important public question—the proposition for a deep waterway connecting the Great Lakes with the Gulf of Mexico. The ordinance of 1787 relating to the northwest territory prescribed a line drawn west from the southern tip of Lake Michigan as the boundary line for any future states. When Illinois applied for admission to the Union in 1818 the first public advocates of a Lakes to Gulf waterway pointed out the enormous commercial benefit to be derived in the future by the construction of an artificial channel at the Chicago divide where the water systems of the Mississippi and Lake Michigan are separated by only a few miles. Congress was convinced and fixed the northern boundary of Illinois where it now is, especially to insure the construction and maintenance of the canal, by having it lie for its entire length within a single state. Time has endorsed this judgment and prospects now look bright for a canal that was dreamed by congress a hundred years ago.

The rarest map in the world—a map that is valued at the dizzy figure of \$300,000—may soon find a place on the shelves of the Chicago public library. It is the first map ever printed on which the name "America" appears and it was issued from a little press in the Vosges mountains, in France, just thirteen years after Columbus cast anchor off San Salvador.

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lumbus cast anchor off San Salvador. A thousand copies were originally run off, but they soon disappeared. Collectors ransacked Europe in their search for a specimen of the rare print and had long given up the quest as hopeless, when one came to light in the dusty library of an old German castle. Prince Waldburg-Wolfegg Waldsee, the owner of the castle, called in experts, and then announced his terms—\$300,000 in cash, or no map—and that is what the Chicago library will have to pay if it decides to purchase. The chart is eight feet long by four feet six inches high and was designed by Martin Waldseemüller. It is richly decorated with coats of arms and pictures of strange beasts and savages. Considering the early date at which it was drawn it is fairly accurate, but it separates North and South America by a wide strait and represents the former as divided by a gigantic arm of the sea, running from San Francisco right up to the present site of Chicago.

Chicago's new city hall, which will cost \$4,000,000 may be built in a novel way and without a cent of expense to the city. The plan, as outlined by City Comptroller Wilson, is to use for the purpose the receipts from the traction companies, which under the terms of the recently passed ordinance must turn over to the city 55 per cent of their net earnings. This means that the money for the city hall will come ultimately from the people who ride in the street cars, and it will take eighty million nickels to pay for the building, or the fares of exactly 6,666 people riding twice a day for 300 days. This is rather a large order, but as municipal buildings generally take years to complete, it is quite likely that the money will be ready by the time the building is.

Society is upset over the Gibsons. The trouble began when Preston Gibson, club man and playwright, was sued for divorce by Mrs. Gibson, who has been a leader in the younger set ever since she entertained Miss Alice Roosevelt, now Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, during her visit to Chicago. Mrs. Gibson, besides being popular and pretty, is a daughter of Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page and a niece of the late Marshall Field, so "society" feels it has some right to take an interest in her affairs. The divorce was obtained in short order and hardly was the decree signed when news came that Dick Gibson, the clubman's brother, had run through with the fortune left him by his father and that his property had been seized and was about to be sold at auction. Later came the details—stories of unpaid bills in New York and Chicago—stepping stones to the humbling of a proud southern family by money lost in speculation and high living. For Dick and Preston Gibson are sons of the late United States Senator Randall Lee Gibson and Mrs. Dick is the daughter of Col. Hart Gibson, who fought in the Confederate army, and left to his sons one of the best known racing stables in Kentucky. Now Preston Gibson may go to his brother's aid with money he is said to have received from his divorced wife. If not, the auction will take place and interested public have a chance to bid among other things for "one Roman drinking set of twelve pieces," two meerschaum pipes and a portable bath."

Chicago is an ideal place for students who wish to work their way through college, according to figures recently made public by the employment bureau of the University of Chicago. The bureau estimates that more than 500 students are now working their way through the University and finds during a period of several months last year exactly \$11,533 was earned by these students. Undergraduates who acted as clerks and did other work in the department stores carried off the biggest share of the money, getting \$3,030 for their services. Amounts received by students in other lines were: For political work, \$567; insurance, \$95; for work in post office, \$2,016; for work for telephone company, \$1,337; in theaters, \$96; rooms and board, \$672; boarding houses, \$1,920, and miscellaneous, \$1,630.

Forewell pink tights and French heels, good-by painted cheeks and peroxide hair. There will be no place for you in the comic opera chorus of the future, according to a well known theatrical manager of this city. Modesty and sweet naturalness are to be the attributes of the show girl. So earnest is the manager in his assertions that now he is being deluged with letters.

"I am a pure blonde," wrote a little graduate of an Indiana convent. "I have beautiful golden hair which

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### ORDERED OUT BY UNION

Trouble Over Discharge of a Painter at Silvis.

Rock Island, Ill., July 24.—An order has been issued by Chief Carman F. L. Bonnus calling a strike of the Carman's union on the entire Rock Island system. The order affects 2,400 men.

According to advices received here, the order has been generally obeyed. The principal shops are located at Silvis, Chicago, Horton, Kas., Shawnee, Okla., and Cedar Rapids, Ia.

The issue is the reinstatement of E. A. Dunn, a union painter, at Silvis, who was discharged on an allegation that he removed his jumper and overalls before the whistle blew.

The officers of the union say that trains on the Rock Island road are not inspected as the law requires and they will notify the interstate commerce commission.

One hundred and seventy-five carmen in the Rock Island shops at Cedar Rapids struck yesterday in sympathy with the shopmen at Silvis, Ill.

### Walkout at Trenton.

Trenton, Mo., July 24.—Seventy-five carmen, painters and inspectors went out at the Rock Island shops here yesterday as a part of a general strike on the Rock Island system, said to be due to a disagreement over the discharge of a union man at Silvis.

### LAKE SUPERIOR MINERS

Thirteenth Annual Meeting of Mining Institute.

Duluth, Minn., July 24.—Scores of the leading mining men of the north gathered today at the Spalding hotel for the thirteenth annual meeting of the Lake Superior Mining Institute.

This afternoon the delegates will visit the large manufacturing and power plants of Duluth. Trips to the ranges will be made tomorrow and Friday. Several important papers on the mining industry will be read during the institute.

### A Delightful Reception.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Knight entertained nearly 200 guests at a delightful reception on the lawn at their beautiful West Fifth street home last night in compliment to their son, Harry Knight, and his bride. The lawn was enclosed in canvas and illuminated with electric lights, presenting a truly inviting appearance, despite the heat.

In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Knight, sr., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Knight, Mrs. Norman Baldwin and Miss Josephine Knight. Ices, cake and mint were served in the dining room, while on the lawn Miss Mildred Latimer served punch.

### Chautauqua Post Cards.

The latest photograph post cards of the Chautauqua can be had at the Thomas Printing Co., 115 East Second street. See us for high grade printing and view photography.

I wear in a coronet braid. I have a perfect blonde complexion, very fair skin, rosy cheeks and blue eyes. My face, in fact, my whole appearance, is of the delicate, refined type."

Others admitted they were beautiful, and all sagely asserted that they knew nothing of the sage, but might be persuaded to learn. If all the letters are true, it should be a cause for trembling among the doomed choruses and bony ballets that hold the boards today. Can it be that they are not really alarmed?

The statement of President B. L. Winchell, of the Rock Island, that his railroad was through with politics and would do away with lobbying, has brought a hornet's nest about his ears. No sooner had his speech been reported than other railroad presidents in this city tumbled over themselves in denying that there was such a thing as railroad lobbying to do away with. Their protestations did not ring true. President Winchell's words were more sincere when he said: "We have grown tired of efforts to get ahead by politics, and we have grown equally tired of having others climb into office on our backs. Hereafter, the Rock Island will accept the laws passed by congress and state legislatures without protest, and attempt to comply with them." This frank stand of Mr. Winchell has probably made him some enemies among his railroad friends, but it has received the hearty endorsement of the public and is in line with the refusal of the Rock Island to join the other roads in reducing its passenger service on account of the 2-cent laws.

### ECLIPSE OF THE MOON

Will Be Visible Tonight Throughout the United States.

Washington, July 24.—An eclipse of the moon will be visible tonight throughout the United States, beginning shortly after 9 o'clock.

About six-tenths of the moon's diameter will be covered by the shadow.

Do you really enjoy what you eat? Does your food taste good? Do you feel hungry and want more? Or do you have a heavy, dull feeling after meals, sour stomach, belching, gas on the stomach, bad breath, indigestion and dyspepsia? If so, you should take a little Kodol after each meal. Kodol will strengthen and nourish your digestive organs and furnish the natural digestive juices for the stomach. It will make you well. It will make your food do you good. Turn your food into good, rich blood. Kodol digests what you eat. Sold by the Arlington Pharmacy.

### Off on a Fishing Trip.

John McLaughlin, John Solon, Charles and John McCloskey left this morning for a week's fishing visit eighteen miles from Lincoln.

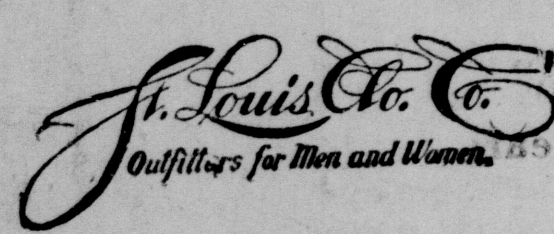
### A High Regard.

"I suppose you have a certain admiration and esteem for our government," said the sarcastic citizen. "Undoubtedly," answered Mr. Dustin Stax. "Our government has trained some of the most efficient men that we capitalists have in our employ."—Washington Star.



# Our Clearing Sale

IS the means of saving hundreds of dollars to the people of this community. Many have taken advantage of it—have you? It you buy clothing and don't see what we have to offer, you are missing the most important bargain event of the year. You'll be losing money.



## LONG BRANCH HORSE SHOW

More Than Six Thousand Dollars Offered in Prizes.

Long Branch, N. J., July 24.—More than \$6,000 are offered in prizes for the nineteenth annual exhibition of the Long Branch Horse Show association, opening today at Hollywood park, and have attracted the largest entry list of fine thoroughbreds ever seen here.

There are two classes for tandems and three for four-in-hands, including the Fish, Doerr and Carroll challenge cup, won last year by Alfred G. Vanderbilt.

Practically all the wealthy horse owners of the East are represented by fine strings and the competition for the regular prizes and seventeen special trophies will be exceedingly keen. Governor E. C. Stokes and Mayor George B. McClellan, of New York, are among the officers of the association.

## MADE MAD BY SUFFERINGS

One Man Leaped to His Death and Another Insane.

Michigan City, Ind., July 23.—The yacht Volant, of Chicago, sailed by John Lawson and Frank Tyron, of that city, was capsized and dismasted in a squall off this port, and was found on the shore, ten miles east of the city. Tyron was drowned and Lawson, who was still in the boat when it was beached, was almost dead from exposure and exhaustion.

The men left port to sail to Chicago. Soon after the squall struck the boat and turned it over. It righted itself and the men got aboard. At about midnight another squall struck the boat, but without doing any damage.

Then Tyron became insane and despite the efforts of his companion leaped overboard and was drowned. Lawson, when found, was in the boat on a sand bar, 200 feet from shore. Until this evening he was irrational.

## "ONE REBEL WOMAN"

Wedded by the Ohio Veteran, Who Now Seeks Another One.

Knoxville, Tenn., July 24.—Levi H. Roberts, 70 years of age, and a veteran of the civil war, walked into the office of the county court clerk in this city yesterday and introduced himself in this manner: "I am Levi H. Roberts, of Leesburg, Ohio. I want a marriage license. I married one rebel woman just after the civil war, and I liked her so well that I have come for another one."

Mr. Roberts gave his age as 70 and that of his bride-to-be, Mrs. Nanrie Rock, of Bearden, near this city, 65. Capt Roberts was a member of an Ohio regiment in the war. He married a southern girl at the close of the strife. His wife died recently.

### MORIMOTO

Is one Chautauqua lecturer who always gets bigger houses the second time than the first. First time in Sedalia tonight at the Chautauqua, Stereopticon and moving pictures.

## THREE MEN NOT TO HANG

THE EXECUTIONS WERE ALL TO HAVE TAKEN PLACE JULY 25.

## ONE WAS ON WAY TO DEATH CELL

News of Commutation Received After the Sheriff Had Started With the Prisoner—Case of Brooks Brothers.

Salem, Mo., July 24.—Sheriff H. L. Fitts, of Reynolds county, accompanied by four deputies, having in charge William Spough, who was under sentence of death for the killing of Sheriff Polk, of Iron county, and was to have been executed at Centerville Thursday, left this city for their home town yesterday, ignoring all requests to defer starting until the governor could be heard from as to his death sentence.

The Reynolds county officials had gone about ten miles when the prosecuting attorney of Dent county received a message from the governor, directing the return of Spough to the Dent county sheriff, where he had been for safe keeping since his conviction.

That order was at once forwarded to Sheriff Fitts, who complied with it, and Spough is here waiting transportation to Jefferson City, to enter upon his sentence in the penitentiary.

### Brooks Brothers Not to Hang.

Jefferson City, Mo., July 24.—Gov. Folk yesterday afternoon commuted the death penalty imposed upon Amalek and John Brooks, of Iron county, to life imprisonment in the penitentiary. The brothers were to have been executed Thursday of this week for the murder of John Clemmons, in Iron county, two years ago.

The killing was largely the result of a drunken quarrel. While Amalek Brooks and a man named Mead were fighting some one shot the former. John Brooks, thinking Clemmons had shot and killed his brother, shot and killed the latter.

While the Brooks brothers were inmates of the Ironton jail, ex-Senator Burton, of Kansas, was committed there on a sentence from the federal court. He became much interested in these brothers and has ever since been writing to Gov. Folk in their behalf.

As a reason for granting the commutation, Gov. Folk says that a careful examination has led him to the conclusion that it is not such a case of cold-blooded murder as would justify the infliction of the death penalty.

## SPECTACLE OF A NEGRO

He Had Hanged Always Before the Sheriff's Eyes, He Shot Himself.

Lake Butler, Fla., July 24.—Because the hanging of a negro in the line of his official duty preyed on his nerves Sheriff Joseph B. Bennett, of Starke county, blew out his brains at his home here in the presence of his wife.

About two weeks ago the sheriff adjusted the noose and sprung the death trap for a negro who had been convicted of murder. Although a brave man, Sheriff Bennett could never bear the sight of suffering, and he could not rid himself of the memory of the negro dangling and choking at the rope's end. He got so he could not sleep, and told friends he would never again have peace of mind.

Yesterday morning, after a sleepless night, he rose, secured his pistol and shot himself, while his wife was still in bed. Mrs. Bennett awoke just as her husband's body fell across the bed.

### Will Confer Two Degrees.

At last night's meeting of Sedalia council No. 831, Knights of Columbus, preliminary arrangements were made for conferring the second and third degrees on a class of almost fifty candidates at the hall over the Sedalia Democrat-Sentinel office early in September.

### Suit for Divorce Filed.

Mrs. Mary L. Ewen, wife of a retired farmer of Lamonte, today sued her husband, Weeden Ewen, for divorce in the Pettis county circuit court, alleging gross indignities. Attorneys Barnett & Barnett represent the plaintiff. They were married in this county on August 1, 1906, and separated on July 22, 1907.

Household goods packed, stored and shipped. Large moving vans; good dry storage rooms.—Huston Transfer Co.

## Lice and Fly KILLERS

Archias' "Sure" Liquid Lice Killer—Guaranteed to kill chicken lice, mites and all insects, qt. 30c, 1/2 gal. 50c, gal. \$1.00. Sulpho-Tobacco Soap—Kills rose bugs, worms and all insects; 3 oz. cake 10c, 8 oz. cake 20c, 1 lb. 30c, 5 lb. \$1.40. Anti-Louse—Best insect powder known, and positively guaranteed; 1 lb. 25c, 5 lb. \$1.00. Uncle Ben's Medicated Nest Eggs—1 doz. 40c, 3 doz. \$1.00. Everything for the poultryman, dairy and beekeeper. Best and cheapest.

## ARCHIAS' SEED STORE

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### FUN WITH THE PROFESSOR.

Erudite Teacher Deceived by Scienceless Student.

A well-known professor remarks that the passion for any science may make a man hopelessly narrow, in a way. As an example he cites the case of an elderly professor in Middletown, Conn., whose love for philology was so excessive that it frequently led him to disregard the broader principles of language in his minute searches for the particles binding an ordinary English word to its Aryan or Sanskrit ancestor.

Once a student thought to have a bit of fun at the learned professor's expense. Assuming an air of great modesty, he rose.

"Doctor, I've been thinking a great deal of late about the derivation of the word 'Middletown.' What is your idea of it?"

The professor was a bit taken back. "Really," he stammered, "I—er—really, young man, that is a subject that will require much reflection. May I ask whether you have chanced upon anything that would throw any light on the question?"

"It is my firm belief, sir," responded the student, with great gravity, "that Middletown is derived from Moses!" "Dear me, dear me!" exclaimed the guileless professor. "And pray, sir, how do you derive Middletown from Moses?"

"Very easily, doctor," replied the joker; "by dropping 'oses' and adding 'liddetown.'"—Lippincott's Magazine.

### WARNINGS OF NO AVAIL.

Sinner Went on Evil Way Despite the Manifestations.

This curious tale of old-time spiritualism is taken by Defoe from Baxter's (1615-1691) "Historical Discourse on Apparitions." "There is now in London an understanding, sober, pious man, oft one of my hearers, who has an elder brother, a gentleman of considerable rank, who having formerly seemed pious, of late years does often fall into the sin of drunkenness. He often lodges long together here in his mother's house, and whensoever he is drunk and has slept himself sober, something knocks at his bedhead, as if one rapped on the wainscot. When they remove his bed it follows him. Besides other loud noises on other parts where he is, that all the house hears, they have often watched him and tied his hands lest he should do it himself. But his mother declared that she had seen his shoes under the bed taken up and 'nothing visible to touch them.' The drunken sinner refused, in spite of these solemn warnings, to abandon his evil ways."

### Lindy's Select Patronage.

It was during the time of the Spanish-American war. An officer of a Massachusetts regiment, carrying under his arm a bundle of soiled linen, called at the home of a colored woman living on the outskirts of Jacksonville, who had made quite a reputation for good laundry work among the soldiers.

"Does yo' belong to de Fir Mah'land?" Lindy was asked.

"No."

"To de Hund-ed-an-fifty-fir Indee-an-y?"

"No."

"Th'd Pennsellvany?"

"No."

"Twen'y-second Ohio?"

"No!"

"Wale, yo' all clar outen here; I see kep' private wash-lady by dose fo' regiments!"

### AMPHION

Quartet tomorrow at Chautauqua. Full concert in the afternoon. Four big men who can sing. Go and hear them.

## OPERATION IS DELAYED

LONG ENOUGH FOR KENTUCKY MAN TO MARRY AND THEN MAKE HIS WILL.

## OCCUPIES WARD WITH HIS BROTHER

Immediately After the Marriage Ceremony Bridegroom Called for a Stenographer and His Will Was Made.

Louisville, Ky., July 24.—Ten minutes before going on the operating table at St. Joseph's infirmary, Ben H. Davis, a well known young business man of this city, was married to Miss Maud Voris, of Burgin, Ky.

Immediately after the ceremony he called for a stenographer and dictated a will, leaving all his property, both real and personal to his wife, and after the will had been attested in the proper legal form, he notified the physicians and surgeons that he was ready.

Davis had been a sufferer for several weeks from an attack of appendicitis, but the trouble had not been considered serious until last Monday as he was en route to Burgin to call on his fiancée.

So great was his suffering upon arriving at Burgin that arrangements were made for a quick return to Louisville, and, accompanied by Miss Voris and her parents, the sufferer arrived here.

An ambulance and automobiles met the party at the station and proceeded at once to the hospital. Shortly after the operation the young bride was notified that it had been successful.

Davis' brother, Tyler Davis, was operated upon three weeks ago for an attack of appendicitis and the brothers now occupy the same room at the infirmary.

## WANT TO PAY THEIR DEBT

That of the Epworth M. E. Church is Less Than \$1,000.

The members of the Epworth M. E. church have set out to pay off the debt on their church, less than \$1,000, in a truly novel manner. Here is the reading on a strip of paper the ladies are circulating:

"The members of the Epworth M. E. church, of Sedalia, Mo., propose to pay off their church debt. They can get the required amount by going one mile, or a little more, after it, but must travel this mile one foot at a time.

"Sixteen pennies side by side will cover one foot. Will you travel one foot for them by filling this strip with pennies? Your assistance will be greatly appreciated.

"Directions: Stick sixteen pennies on the other side of strip, fold in center so that pennies come together, place in an envelope and return same to person who gave you this strip."

## CALIFORNIA RACING SEASON

Promises to Be Most Successful in Coast's History.

San Francisco, Cal., July 24.—With the meet at Salinas today the California circuit begins what promises to be the most successful season of harness racing in the history of the Pacific coast.

Some of the finest and fastest horses in the west will be seen on the California tracks this summer and fall. Exceptionally good purses have been offered by all the local associations and are certain to attract large fields.

### Pointer for Grandma.

My little nephew, when he was three years old, was visiting his grandma one day and as she was about to give him a piece of bread and butter he looked up at her and said: "Cut it good and big, grandma, for God loves the cheerful giver."

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## MANY SWEDISH SINGERS

Have Arrived at Moline, Ill., to Take Part in Convention.

Moline, Ill., July 24.—Many Swedish singers, who have won fame in European and American grand opera circles, are among the hundreds arriving here today to participate in the third quadrennial convention and sangerfest of the American Union of Swedish Singers, which will be in progress during the next four days.

Two grand concerts will be given, tomorrow and Friday nights, in a great circus tent with a seating capacity of 6,000. Thirty-nine male choruses and 500 male trained voices will be heard, in addition to many vocal notables.

Among the latter are Mme. Emma Meissner and Mlle. Rosa Gruenberg, prima donnas of the Oscar theater, Stockholm; Gustaf Holmquist, the world's most noted Swedish baritone soloist; Professor Emil Darsen, accompanist, and Dr. John R. Ortengren, director in chief.

## BIG CHECK FROM MRS. SAGE

Gives \$100,000 to School in Her Childhood Home.

Syracuse, N. Y., July 24.—Mrs. Russell Sage has sent her check for \$100,000 to Chancellor J. R. Day, as a gift to the teachers' college of Syracuse university.

This college occupies fourteen acres of land and a large castle of Normal style of architecture, adjoining the campus, which was the home of Mrs. Sage in her childhood.

She has expressed a desire, for this reason, and her great interest in the property, that it shall be the permanent home of the Teachers' college, and that women shall always be admitted to its privileges.

## GOT HER A DIVORCE

Indiana Justice Appeared as Counsel for Daughter-in-Law.

Warsaw, Ind., July 24.—Justice William H. Eiler, appearing as counsel for his daughter-in-law, secured a divorce for the young woman.

Thomas Eiler, the defendant, is a prominent young man living at Mentone, this county.

The principal allegation set out in the complaint was that of cruelty, which was substantiated by witnesses.

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Your free choice of hundreds of Men's Suits formerly \$13.50 & \$15, Clearing Sale Price..... **\$11.95**

Your free choice of hundreds of Men's Suits formerly \$16.50, \$18, \$20, Clearing Sale Price..... **\$15.95**

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### A SLEEPING BRIDE

Left Her Bed, Walked Into a Lake and Was Drowned.

Wheeling, W. Va., July 24.—Mrs. Margaret C. Ore, wife of a guard at the Moundsville penitentiary, arose in her sleep about 5 o'clock yesterday, and in her night robe walked into Chautauqua lake and was drowned. Her body was recovered.

They had been married only three weeks and had taken a cottage at the Moundsville camp grounds for the summer. The husband, half asleep himself, saw his bride leave the room, but supposing she had forgotten to attend to something before retiring had paid no further attention.

About an hour later her absence frightened him and he went out in the yard. Just then a policeman rushed up and said that a watchman had seen the woman leap into the lake a few minutes before.

### AMPHION

Is the name of the quartet at Chautauqua tomorrow. Nine hundred pounds is their fighting weight. Nine hundred smiles guaranteed, every concert.

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and Mrs. Golder Howard, of California, returned home this morning, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Miller here.

Mrs. Myrtle Higgins, a Bell telephone operator, resumed work this morning, after visiting at Kansas City.

Mrs. J. M. Knaus departed this morning for Edwards, Mo., called there by the critical illness of her niece.

E. L. Cooter went to Knob Noster today, G. N. Arnold went to Warrensburg and June Harris went to Cole Camp.

Mrs. Melva Haley and two children returned today to Fayetteville, Ark., after visiting her father, Judge R. G. Leaming.

Misses Hannah and Rebecca Suhler, of Chicago, who have been visiting their brother, Dave Suhler, and wife, returned home this morning.

Mrs. W. R. Evans, of Syracuse, sister of Mrs. G. E. and Charles McNeil, of the Katy hospital staff, is here receiving medical treatment.

Ernest Beyeler, local agent for the Van Noy news agency, returned last night from Kansas City, where he witnessed Ringling Bros.' circus.

J. P. Croff, representing the Hargantine-McKittick Dry Goods Co., of St. Louis, arrived here this afternoon to visit his mother, Mrs. N. J. Croff.

Walter Williams, editor of the Columbia Herald, went to Warrensburg this morning, where, tonight, he will deliver a lecture on "The Great Mis-sourian."

Mrs. John H. Forbes and two children, accompanied by Mrs. T. R. Jurey and Miss Adelaide Norton, left this morning for an extended visit in California.

Mrs. Thomas Hall, accompanied by the two young daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hicks, returned last night from visiting Mrs. Hall's parents at Kansas City.

Mrs. S. Meyers returned this afternoon from Tipton, after visiting relatives there. She was accompanied by Abram Franck, of New York, who will visit relatives here.

Mrs. J. E. Love, accompanied her husband, Constable Love, to Rose-dale, Kan., where he will take bath treatment at the springs there for inflammatory rheumatism, today.

Mrs. S. G. Kelly, of Sedalia, has returned home, after a visit with Moberly relatives, says the Moberly Democrat. She was one of the guests at the Robertson reception given on Friday afternoon.

L. M. Imhoff and family, of Sedalia, and Mrs. Kemp Orrison, of Victor, Col., visited relatives here Sunday. Mrs. Imhoff and daughter, Jennie D., remaining for several days' visit.—Houstanian.

Andrew Tyson, who learned telegraphy here under Frank E. Gibbons, of the Western Union office, and who is now operator for the Standard Oil people at Neodesha, Kan., is here for a couple of days' visit with old time friends.

L. H. Archias had as his guest yesterday a former school mate, Prof. John H. Tillman, president of the University of Arkansas, who lectured at the Chautauqua yesterday afternoon, and also J. T. Tillman, of Ragan, Neb.

Mrs. Rose McCormick-Hall, who has been visiting here and at Springfield, departed at noon today for her home in St. Louis, a letter having advised her that her husband, James Hall, who has been an invalid for several years, is not so well, in consequence of which her visit was cut short.

### DR. OSLER OBJECTS TO SOUP.

According to Him Most Harmful Article of Diet.

Dr. William Osler, to whom is accredited the oft repeated and oft denied assertion that people should be chloroformed after becoming 60 years old, is bitterly opposed to the drinking of soup, according to the statements of a New York merchant.

"My wife was a wreck from nervous dyspepsia," said the merchant. "Several prominent physicians in New York had treated her without success, and finally I was advised to take her to Baltimore to see Dr. Osler. He inquired carefully about her habits, and particularly her diet. We described it without going into details, but this did not satisfy the great physician."

"Tell me what you had for dinner, describing the nature of the courses, their number, and so on," he insisted.

"Well, we usually start with some good, nourishing soup," I began.

"Stop right there," interrupted Dr. Osler. "Soup must go. There is a popular fallacy that soup is nourishing. That is a mistake. It is one of the most harmful things one can eat. It is worse than lobster. Of course there are times when a simple beef or mutton broth is not to be condemned, but as a rule soup is positively dangerous. It dilutes the gastric juices and it ferments too rapidly to permit it to be easily digested. It is the greatest cause of dyspepsia and nervous disorders. Vegetable soup should be thrown into the garbage pail, where it belongs, instead of being poured into a delicate stomach. Half the nervous wrecks among society folk who live well are caused by eating soup."

### PERSONALS

Drink Sweet Springs water.

S. L. Miller made a business visit at Lamonte today.

L. M. Couch returned to Kansas City this morning.

David Roberts went to Holden this afternoon on business.

H. E. Moore and family went to Tipton today to visit.

H. B. Harnsberger, Jr., went to Tipton and Syracuse today.

Miss Bessie Bowers went to Warrensburg this afternoon.

Mrs. John Chris left today for St. Louis to join her husband.

Mrs. C. C. Kelly went to Fayette today to visit several days.

J. R. Corrigan, a St. Louis hardware salesman, is here on business.

John Scally left this morning for a six weeks' visit at Excelsior Springs.

J. C. Gulick made a business visit at Green Ridge and Windsor today.

S. R. Payne went to Fayette today, and G. A. Wilder went to Boonville.

R. C. Walker and family left today for a visit at Neosho, Newton county.

H. H. Savage, a St. Louis traveling salesman, is a business visitor in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ogle are visiting friends in the Quarry City today.

C. B. Stephens and family were down from Houstonia today, shop ping.

Miss Veronica Sullivan left this afternoon for a ten days' visit at Kansas City.

Col. J. West Goodwin went to Excelsior Springs this afternoon for a brief sojourn.

L. J. Breedman, of St. Paul, Minn., arrived here this afternoon to visit Sedalia friends.

Mrs. C. Chris left this afternoon for Neodesha, Kan., where her husband is now employed.

Probate Judge D. E. Kennedy went to Excelsior Springs this morning for a week's visit.

Daniel Gold departed last night for his home in Ohio, after a visit with Sedalia relatives.

Mrs. Allen Chasoff left this morning for a few days' visit with her mother in Kansas City.

Mrs. T. J. Benton, of 1505 South Osage street, returned last night from a visit at Lincoln, Mo.

Col. James Freelan went to Boonville and other places on the north end of the Katy today.

Paul Priddy, the well known baseball pitcher, left this morning for his home at Topeka, Kan.

George M. Pemberton and family will leave tomorrow for Aspen, Col. for a two months' visit.

Mrs. R. C. Hull, wife of the Katy yard clerk, and children, are visiting relatives at Jefferson City.

Mrs. F. C. Livingston and daughter, of Windsor, were registered at the Antlers hotel last night.

Mrs. J. C. Longan and daughter, Dorothy, returned to Houstonia this afternoon, after a brief visit here.

Lawyers Roy Williams and Pendleton, of Boonville, were here this morning, on their way to Otterville.

Miss Helen Woods returned home to Prairie City, Ia., this afternoon, after visiting Miss Edna Mertz here.

Rev. Rudolph Stoltz, of Rennsler, Ind., arrived here this afternoon to visit the priests of Sacred Heart parish.

Mrs. S. C. Atkinson, of Clarksburg,

## PAIN

Pain in the head—pain anywhere, has its cause. Pain is congestion, pain is blood pressure—nothing else usually. At least, so says Dr. Shoop, and to prove it he has created a little pink tablet. That tablet—called Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablet—its effect is charming, pleasingly delightful. Gently, though safely, it surely equalizes the blood circulation.

If you have a headache, it's blood pressure. If it's painful periods with women, same cause. If you are sleepless, restless, nervous, it's blood congestion—blood pressure. That surely is a certainty for Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets stop it in 20 minutes, and the tablets simply distribute the unnatural blood pressure.

Bruse your finger, and doesn't it get red, and swell, and pain you? Of course it does. It's congestion, blood pressure. You'll find it where pain is—always. It's simply Common Sense.

We sell at 25 cents, and cheerfully recommend

**Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets**  
W. E. BARD DRUG CO.

### SIX KILLINGS IN A DAY

This Was the Modest Record of a Tennessee County.

Tiptonville, Tenn., July 24.—Lake county established a new record for bloodshed when six men were killed at Blue Landing, on the Tennessee river.

Pat Worlds shot and killed Luther Rankin, as a result of an old quarrel. Red Dghlin, a white man, killed a negro with a hoe over a debt.

White men killed two negroes with knives in a quarrel, resulting from discussion of the killing of another negro by a white man a short time ago.

At Ridgely, a man named Smith badly wounded a negro. The negro, after having his wound dressed, left with his brother. Their dead bodies were found on the railroad track. It is supposed they were lynched by white men.

### KILLED A ROBIN

And the Aged and Infirm Preacher Was Arrested and Fined.

Alexandria, Ind., July 24.—Rev. John Taylor, an aged and infirm superannuated Methodist preacher of this city was arrested by a game warden of Fairmount, who charged him with killing a robin.

With tears in his eyes, the old man admitted the accusation, alleging ignorance of the law. The robins were eating his berries and he killed one, to defend his berries, he said.

The fine and cost footed up \$42.10 and he being totally without income, except as a pensioner from the church, he was unable to pay, and would have been jailed, except that the officials relented and gave him time to raise the money.

### ROOSTER ATTACKED CHILD

Picking Out Her Eyes, and She is Reported Dying.

Wheeling, W. Va., July 24.—Mary, the four-year-old daughter of Charles Hank, a mill worker, is dying at the family home on Lind street as a result of being attacked by a big rooster attached to the henery.

The girl went out to feed the chickens, and, in attempting to catch a pet chick, fell. The rooster attacked her, picking her horribly about the head and body. Both eyes were picked out.

### The Get-Away.

The race is not always to the swift, but it cannot be denied that the man who gets started first has a big advantage.

**CHICHESTER'S PILLS**  
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Indirect and safe treatment for all ailments of the digestive system. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. At 10c per box. 25c per box. 50c per box. 1.00 per box. 2.00 per box. 3.00 per box. 4.00 per box. 5.00 per box. 6.00 per box. 7.00 per box. 8.00 per box. 9.00 per box. 10.00 per box. 11.00 per box. 12.00 per box. 13.00 per box. 14.00 per box. 15.00 per box. 16.00 per box. 17.00 per box. 18.00 per box. 19.00 per box. 20.00 per box. 21.00 per box. 22.00 per box. 23.00 per box. 24.00 per box. 25.00 per box. 26.00 per box. 27.00 per box. 28.00 per box. 29.00 per box. 30.00 per box. 31.00 per box. 32.00 per box. 33.00 per box. 34.00 per box. 35.00 per box. 36.00 per box. 37.00 per box. 38.00 per box. 39.00 per box. 40.00 per box. 41.00 per box. 42.00 per box. 43.00 per box. 44.00 per box. 45.00 per box. 46.00 per box. 47.00 per box. 48.00 per box. 49.00 per box. 50.00 per box. 51.00 per box. 52.00 per box. 53.00 per box. 54.00 per box. 55.00 per box. 56.00 per box. 57.00 per box. 58.00 per box. 59.00 per box. 60.00 per box. 61.00 per box. 62.00 per box. 63.00 per box. 64.00 per box. 65.00 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### TIMBER HAS MANY USES.

Value of Standing Wood That Has  
Been Through Flames.

The traveler who has wondered why some use is not made of the timber that has been fire-killed all over the country will be interested to learn that the United States forest service at the University of Washington, Seattle, has discovered a means of utilizing this timber, which in the past has largely gone to waste. In testing fire-killed timber—that is, timber which had its bark destroyed by a fire not severe enough to entirely consume the tree, and which left it standing—it was found to be thoroughly sound and, to all intents and purposes, thoroughly seasoned lumber. It was determined that if such lumber is cut within the first year after it is injured it can be used for any purpose for which the original wood is satisfactory, but if allowed to stand the timber checks so badly that it cannot be worked up to advantage. It has also been disclosed by investigations undertaken that good railroad ties have been made from timber that in some instances was killed 50 years ago.—Philadelphia Record.

### THE BANDAGE SLIPPED OFF.

Thereby Exposing a Ruse to Save the  
Family Pride.

A Kansas City professional man, who is prominently identified with Missouri politics, tells the following story on himself: "My folks moved from Indiana to Johnson county, Missouri, when I was six years of age. We settled on a farm near Holden. The first Sunday we were there, and while the family was preparing for Sunday school, it was discovered that I did not have any shoes. My mother, realizing that 'folks would talk' if one of her children made his first public appearance barefooted, suggested that I have a cloth tied around one foot to create the impression that I was unable to wear shoes because of a sore foot. So the rag was tied on me. Everything went along smoothly and I learned all about what his-name's bears eating the bad children up, when I heard a snicker from a boy I afterwards liked. He was pointing to my right foot. I glanced downward. The rag had slipped off and my mother's ruse was exposed."

### Out of Work.

One of the senators from Georgia tells of a ducky in that state who sought work at the hands of a white man. The latter inquired whether the negro had a boat. Upon being answered in the affirmative, he said: "You see that driftwood down the stream?" "Yassah." "Then," continued the other, "row out into the river and catch it. I'll give you half of what you bring in." The ducky immediately proceeded to do as instructed and for awhile worked hard. Then, of a sudden, he ceased to labor and pulled for the shore. "What's the trouble?" asked the employer. "Look hyar, boss," said the ducky indignantly, "dat wood is jest as much mine as yours. I ain't gwine to give yo' any. So I see out work again!"—Lippincott's Magazine.

### THE TEXAS WONDER.

Cures all Kidney, Bladder and Rheumatic troubles: sold by W. E. Bard Drug Co., or two months' treatment by mail, for \$1. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials.

## Woman's Nightmare

The critical ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so fraught with dread, pain, suffering and horror. There is no very thought of it fills her with apprehension and horror. There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either painful or dangerous. The use of **Mother's Friend** so prepares the system for the coming event that it is safely passed without any danger. This great and wonderful remedy is always applied externally, and has carried thousands of women through the trying crisis without suffering.

Send for free book containing information of priceless value to all expectant mothers.  
The Bradford Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.

### At the Same Rate.

An elderly man walked leisurely into a drug store to have a prescription filled for some trifling complaint. Receiving from the druggist a little box of about a dozen pills, he was called upon to pay about three or four times what he thought he should. The money was paid without a murmur and in silence, but, stepping off a few feet from the counter, he slowly scanned every corner of the store, almost every shelf of it, and the salesman, supposing he wanted something else, asked what he could do for him, and the reply was: "No, you can do nothing, as I'm already done for; but I'll tell you this, I've many times passed this store, but never before have been inside and made a close survey, as I have now, and, sir, I estimate you have now on hand fully \$1,000,000 in stock."

### Appetites of Strangers.

A waiter who always endeavored to give the best possible service to his customers supplemented an order to the kitchen attendants with the request for "a little extra in each dish." "They don't ask me for an extra allowance," he said, "in fact, they didn't know enough to ask for it, but I could see that their appetites would be equal to the supply. That is because they are strangers here. Newcomers in any restaurant or boarding house always eat more than the old-timers. Everything has a new flavor and whets their appetites. It is nothing for customers who are just getting acquainted with a place to eat as if they had been starved for a month. As a matter of fact, they have fared quite well; it's the change that makes them so voracious."

### Excellence and Greatness.

In art, as in all things, a certain nuance—an abyss—separates excellence from greatness. At the Trippenhausen in Amsterdam, you see upon entering a great picture by a master whose name escapes me; it is excellent. You applaud. Turn round—that is the Night Watch, it is Rembrandt. You utter a cry. There is greatness. Excellence has vanished. You cannot even look again at the other painting. Greatness in art is only obtained at the cost of a kind of adventure. The conquered ideal is the prize of audacity. He who risks nothing gets nothing. The genius is a hero.—From Victor Hugo's "Intellectual Autobiography."

### Always the Politeness.

A Germantown woman was not long ago watching a workman as he put up new window fixtures in her house. "Don't you think that you have placed those fixtures too high?" asked she, having reference to the curtain rolls last put in place. The workman, a stolid German, made no reply, but continued to adjust the fixtures. "Didn't you hear my question?" demanded the lady of the house. "How dare you be so rude?" Whereupon the German gulped convulsively, and then replied in the gentlest of voices: "I haf my mouth full of screws, and I could not speak till I swallow some!"—Harper's Weekly.

### Look!

I want all old meters either to buy or repair.—Carl P. Werner.

Baptizing at First Baptist Church

Several will be baptised at the First Baptist church at 8 o'clock this evening. The service will be held in the main auditorium. The public is invited.

No woman's happiness can be complete without children; it is her nature to love and want them as much as it is to love the beautiful and pure.

Mrs. Vina English, colored, aged 65 years, employed at the Stockton Cotton farm near Smithton, died Tuesday of dropsy and was buried at Beaman.

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For Infants and Children.  
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## ONE DEAD; SIXTEEN HURT

PASSENGER TRAIN DERAILED  
NEAR NEELYVILLE—COLLISION  
ON BUTLER LINE.

### THE ROADMASTER WAS A VICTIM

Traffic Is Delayed Eleven Hours—  
Poplar Bluff Sends Medical Aid to  
Sufferers—Freight Wreck  
Ties Up Traffic.

Poplar Bluff, Mo., July 24.—Fifteen passengers were injured in a wreck near Neelyville at 9:03 o'clock Monday night when Iron Mountain passenger train No. 1, due here at 8:05 p. m., was derailed. The train was in charge of Engineer Culver and Conductor J. W. Buckler.

A mile this side of Neelyville the passengers were aroused by a jar, breaking glass and crashing timbers. The baggage car, chair car and smoker had been overturned and the sleeper derailed.

**Passengers Wedged Under Seats.**  
Many of the passengers were wedged under seats. Those fortunate enough to escape rescued their companions. No one was killed, the injuries consisting of minor cuts and bruises. Word was sent to this city, and Drs. Eskew and Norwine, with the officials of the road, left on a special train. The following is the list of passengers injured.

G. W. Courtwell, Mulkytown, Ill.  
S. B. Brown, Newark, Ark.  
Jesse Rogers.  
Mattie Lamar, Neelyville, Mo.  
Margaret Rogers, Walnut Ridge, Ark.

Samuel Dickerson, Corning, Ark.  
W. T. Sawyer, Munger, Mo.  
W. H. Hudson, St. Louis.  
James Wylie and infant child, Texarkana.

Benton Hays, Ash Hills, Mo.  
William Ashley, Ash Hills, Mo.  
John Mixon, Magnolia, Ark.  
O. C. Hammill, DeSoto, Mo.  
L. L. Hilton, Rosehill, Mo.

**Cause Not Definitely Known.**  
The cause of the wreck is not known positively. Railroad men say a broken shoe on one of the tourist cars became loose and dropped on the rail.

The wrecker was sent from Hoxie and cleared the tracks in eleven hours. All southbound trains were held here and all northbound at Neelyville.

### Collision Kills One.

A rear end collision on the Butler County railroad at 7:30 yesterday morning resulted in the death of George Baker, roadmaster, and serious injury of Charles Sutt, a laborer on the work train. Two trains started out yesterday morning, one closely following the other. Near Baileys, a small station about fifteen miles south of this city, the safety plug on the forward engine blew out and the rear engine collided with the caboose.

Roadmaster Baker was standing on the pilot of the rear engine, and seeing that a collision could not be prevented, tried to jump, but was caught between the engine and caboose. One leg was cut off, the other was mangled and he received internal injuries, dying an hour later.

### To Illinois for Burial.

Sutt was in the caboose and was cut and bruised about the head. Baker lived in Marshall and is survived by a widow and five children. His former home was at Raleigh, Ill., where his body will be taken for burial. The Masons will take charge of the funeral.

J. R. Baker, a son, is night operator at the Iron Mountain depot in this city. He was at the wreck of No. 1 at Neelyville, and on receipt of the news of his father's death left for his home at once.

### Freight Wreck Ties Up Traffic.

Whiteside, Mo., July 24.—Traffic on the St. Louis and Hannibal railroad, was resumed yesterday after a tieup of twenty-four hours.

Freight train No. 8, northbound, was wrecked three miles north of this place yesterday morning, five cars being derailed, tearing up the track for 100 yards.

Mrs. Vina English Dead.

Mrs. Vina English, colored, aged 65 years, employed at the Stockton Cotton farm near Smithton, died Tuesday of dropsy and was buried at Beaman.

AN unused room, with the aid of a want ad., may be turned into a "dividend payer."

To run a summer hotel or boarding house without adequate advertising is a good way to run into debt.

## MISSOURI GIRLS IN WRECK

The Belief is That One of the Two  
Was Rescued.

Fayette, Mo., July 24.—Misses Ruby and Nena Cooper, daughters of Mrs. A. Cooper, of Fayette, were on the ill-fated steamer Columbia, which was sunk in the Shelter Cove Sunday morning, and it is feared both have perished.

A telegram from Lillian Perkins, at St. Johns, Ore., states that both were lost.

A later telegram from unofficial sources stated that Miss Ruby was saved.

Can't look well, eat well or feel well with impure blood feeding your body. Keep the blood pure with Burdock Blood Bitters. Eat simply, take exercise, keep clean and you will have long life.

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rheum sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Doan's ointment cures the most obstinate cases. Why suffer. All druggists sell it.

Don't use harsh physics. The reaction weakens the bowels, leads to chronic constipation. Get Doan's Regulents. They operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation.

"My child was burned terribly about the face, neck and chest. I applied Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. The pain ceased and the child sank into a restful sleep."—Mrs. Nancy M. Hanson, Hamburg, N. Y.

### Willing Workers' Social.

"The Willing Workers" of the Dunksburg Christian church will give and ice cream supper on the church lawn on Saturday evening, July 27th. All are invited to this supper. Come early, stay late, bring friends and spend a pleasant evening.

### What He Missed.

One of the officials of the Indian office at Washington was visiting a reservation in Montana on government business when a certain chief, who had taken a fancy to Uncle Sam's agent, invited him to attend the wedding of the Indian's daughter. The Indian office man was, to his regret, unable to be present at the festivities, but the Indian laconically described the function subsequently, in order to indicate what the agent had missed. "Five dogs," said the chief, "and plenty pie."—Harper's Weekly.

### Maximilian and "La Paloma."

The memory of Maximilian of Mexico should be preserved wherever that haunting air "La Paloma" is played. It is still to be heard in the London restaurants where music is thrown in with dinner. And Maximilian's final request was that "La Paloma" should be played while he stood up to meet his doom. He died with the tune in his ears—the courage in his face—and his wife went mad with the shock nearly 40 years ago.

### Undoubtedly.

"Come on down town, Grace." "But I have no money." "What's the diff? Two can shop as cheaply as one."—Pittsburg Post.



### TIME CARD.

Train	South Bound.	Depart
No. 1.....	6:25 p. m.	6:50 p. m.
No. 3.....	8:50 a. m.	9:10 a. m.
No. 5.....	3:17 a. m.	3:22 a. m.
No. 511, local freight, mornings, except Sunday .....	7:10 a. m.	

### North Bound.

No. 2.....	8:25 a. m.	8:50 a. m.
No. 4.....	8:05 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
No. 6.....	12:35 a. m.	12:40 a. m.
No. 504, local freight, mornings, except Sunday .....	6:15 a. m.	

Kansas City Division.  
No. 515—Leaves .....8:35 a. m.  
No. 415—Leaves .....2:00 p. m.  
No. 516—Arrives .....3:55 p. m.  
No. 452—Arrives .....5:00 a. m.

## SHE WAS PART NEGRESS

THE PENSION COMMISSIONER ALLEGES THIS ABOUT HIS  
STEPMOTHER.

### THE FIGHT ON FOR TWO MILLIONS

Illinois Man Sets Forth That Antenuptial Contract Cancels All Interest in the Woman's Dower Rights.

Clinton, Ill., July 24.—Commissioner of Pensions Vespasian Warner, one of the prominent members of President Roosevelt's official family, has gone into court in this city and sworn that his stepmother, Mrs. Isabella Robinson Warner, is of negro blood. The climax in the Warner will case, in which the commissioner of pensions is vitally interested as an heir of the late John Warner, came yesterday with the filing by the respondents of an amended answer making the charge.

The estate of John Warner, who was Commissioner Warner's father, is valued at nearly \$2,000,000, and the widow is fighting for her dower rights.

Vespasian Warner, who is executor, alleges, however, that an antenuptial agreement made by Isabella Robinson, later, Mrs. John Warner, and his father, stands in the way of the widow's claims, and that, furthermore, his stepmother deceived his father by concealing from him the fact that she was part negress.

The attorneys for the commissioner of pensions have secured depositions from some parts of the United States, principally in and around Norwalk, Ohio, where Stephen Robinson, father of Mrs. Warner, originally resided.

Mr. Robinson was a farmer and is said to have been of swarthy complexion. In the late 50s his neighbors circulated the story that he was an octonoon. The election officials of Norwalk refused to allow Stephen Robinson to vote.

He indignantly denied the charge, hired an attorney, who is now spending his last days in California, and fought the case in the courts. The aged lawyer has made deposition that the court found in favor of Stephen Robinson.

### THE PEOPLE ALL

In Chorus Cried. Give Us Newbro's  
Herpicide.

This word of late has been in everybody's mouth, and many are wondering what the word signifies, though no one has yet been found who will deny that Newbro's Herpicide does the work. Well, for the information of thousands of people who like to know all about a good thing, we would say that Herpicide means a destroyer or killer of Herpes. Now Herpes is the family name of a disease caused by various vegetable parasites. A similar microbe causes dandruff, itching scalp, and falling hair; this is the microbe that Newbro's Herpicide promptly destroys, after which the hair grows. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two sizes, 50c and \$1. W. E. Bard Drug Co., special agents.

### WEALTH FROM THE PACIFIC.

Valuable Products from Sea Water on  
Our Western Coast.

Californians have solved the problem of the alchemists and are making gold out of sea water. The golden state has taken golden treasure out of her mountains, has made her valleys yield millions of dollars' worth of golden fruit, has amassed tourist gold in exchange for her sunshine, and now turns to the great lazy Pacific ocean and ransacks its coffers.

There is no rush of prospectors to the new field, however, as the gold is coming out of the sea in the form of salts of potassium, magnesium and bromide, which would elude the pan and the rocker of the prospector.

Of several "diggings" of this nature one at least is active and prosperous and one is approaching activity. The San Pedro Salt company, which recently entered into the field, has succeeded in manufacturing a quantity and quality of salt which has found a ready market and has already assumed place among the exports of the port of San Pedro.

The fact that San Pedro is a lively and thriving port, with almost no outgoing cargoes, makes the development of this trade both easy and important. Since the first of last year the coasting schooners returning to the northern coast have taken away over a thousand tons of this sea salt.

### CHAS. NEWCOMB.

Gasoline stoves, sewing machines repaired. Bell phone 1733.

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### The Rebel Yell.

To know truly what the "rebel yell" was, one must have heard it with the din and the roar of the rifles and the thunder of the artillery; with the shrieks of the wounded and the groans of the dying; must have seen mother earth being discolored with the rich blood of valorous men. "When Greeks joined Greeks, then was the tug of war;" when Americans met Americans it was then the "rebel yell" was given birth. It was a thing to inspire brave men to action, to give resolution strength; to the coward it was a consuming terror. The man who could stand unbalanced in the face of the real "rebel yell" in the days of its strength may justly lay claim to a courage that knows no faltering.—Knoxville (Tenn.) Journal and Tribune.

### A Lively Squirrel.

An old negro who lives in the country came into town and saw an electric fan for the first time in his life. The whirling object at once attracted his attention, and after intently gazing at it for several minutes, showing all the while the greatest astonishment and curiosity, he turned to the proprietor of the shop and said: "Say, boss, dat suttrenly is a lively squirrel you got in dis yeh cage. But he's shorely goin' to bus' his heart ef he keep on makin' dem resolutions so fas'."—Harper's.

### Be Kind.

"The greatest thing," says some one, "a man can do for his Heavenly Father is to be kind to some of His other children." I wonder how it is that we are not all kinder than we are. How much the world needs it! How easily it is done! How instantaneously it acts! How infallibly it is remembered! How superabundantly it pays itself back—for there is no debtor in the world so honorable, so superbly honorable, as love.—Henry Drummond.

### On the Wrong Track.

A ticket-collector on a Scotch railway got leave to go and get married, and was given a pass over the line. On the way back he showed to the new collector his marriage certificate by mistake for his pass. He studied it carefully, and then said: "Eh, mon, you've got a ticket for a lang, wearisome journey, but no' on the Caledonian."

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408 Ohio St. Bell Phone 153.

## A BASKET DINNER SUNDAY

On the Opening of the Evangelistic Campaign at Hughesville.

The evangelistic campaign of the Church of Christ will begin on Sunday morning, July 28th, at Hughesville. The revival will be led by Evangelist C. O. McFarland, Chorus Director McFarland and Pastor Wm. M. Thomas.

Gospel solos will be sung at each service and the question, "What Must I Do to Be Saved?" answered each evening.

The evangelist will frequently illustrate with his stereopticon. Sunday, the 28th, will be a great day. Dinner will be served on the grounds, and there will be services morning, afternoon and evening.

Thousands of people are daily suffering with kidney and bladder troubles—dangerous ailments that should be checked promptly. DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are the best remedy for the backache, weak kidneys, inflammation of the bladder. Their action is prompt and sure. A week's treatment for 25c. Sold by Arlington pharmacy.

Will Give a Social.

The Epworth League of the German M. E. church will give a social at the home of Mrs. C. W. Schmitt, 605 North Stewart street, tomorrow night.

## FANS FANS FANS

Order you a Fan now and be prepared for the hot days. Call me when in need of repairs of any kind. The best materials and workmanship.  
**House Wiring and Fixtures**

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## A Confidential Talk

With People Who Eat

We wish to win your confidence. Let us tell you who we are. We are the largest dealers in high grade groceries in Sedalia, and our prices are the lowest, quality considered. If you will try us for a month we believe we will be able to show you that it will be to your interest to continue. We are large buyers, and that means we get the very best price.

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1315 East Broadway, 4 rooms and bath, \$16.  
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601 East Tenth, 8 rooms, elegant home, \$18.00.  
3-room house, \$6.00; 4-room house, \$7.00, and 5-room house at \$8.00 per month.

### Will Sell on Easy Terms.

These are new cottages in Wilson addition, just south of Missouri Pacific shops.  
See them. Man on ground daily.

## J. K. KIDD,

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## Farm Loans

I can make you a farm loan at straight 6 per cent, for either 5 or 10 years, or a cash commission loan at 5 per cent.

With these loans I give you as good options in every respect as give in the county.

Get my terms before placing loan.

LIST YOUR LAND WITH ME FOR SALE.

Costs nothing if I don't sell.

## PALATABLE DISHES

### SOME GOOD THINGS FOR THE COOK'S SCRAPBOOK.

Everyday Eatables Cooked in an Appetizing Way—A Sandwich for the Luncheon Table—Many Other Recipes.

**Nut and Cheese Sandwiches.**—Turn some hot water on the meats of English walnuts, let them stand for a few moments, skim them out and plunge them in cold water and rub off the skins. Run them through a food chopper and add them to cream cheese, which has been reduced to a paste with cream or milk, and use as a filling for sandwiches.

**Plain String Beans.**—Put the contents of a can of string beans into a strainer and let the water from the faucet run through them until every bit of the liquor in which they were canned has been drained off. Turn them into a dish and cover them with salted cold water and let them stand an hour. Turn off this water, put the beans in sufficient boiling water to cover, and heat very quickly. Season with salt, pepper, and butter. Beans prepared in this manner, if a good brand is selected, can hardly be told from the freshly cooked beans.

**Asparagus Soup.**—Cut the tops off a bunch of asparagus and boil the tips and stalks separately. When the former are tender set them aside in the water in which they were cooked. When the stalks are tender mash them through a sieve. Bring a pint of milk to the boiling point, add a tablespoonful of butter and one of flour which have been rubbed together until smooth. Boil ten minutes, then add the tips and the water in which they were boiled. Season with salt and pepper. Add two tablespoonfuls of cream. Let it boil up and serve at once with toasted bread points.

**Oatmeal Gems.**—To two cups of rolled oats add a cup of sour milk and let them stand for several hours. They may be prepared at night for breakfast, or during the forenoon for a six o'clock dinner. When ready to bake add to the oats one beaten egg, one-half cup of molasses in which one teaspoonful of soda has been dissolved, one cup of flour, and a little salt. Bake as soon as mixed. The loose rolled oats are much cheaper than the package goods and can usually be bought by the pound at any reliable grocery.

**Potato Soup.**—Boil six potatoes and one onion; when done sift potatoes into the water in which they have been boiled; season with salt and pepper; mix a little flour in milk or water and stir in; just before taking from the stove add milk to make it thin enough (three pints) and small piece of butter.

**Crumb Crust.**—A crumb crust for a meat pie makes an agreeable change from the crust made like a biscuit dough, which is generally used. Make the pie in the usual manner, with layers of seasoned meat and a generous supply of gravy or stock. Have the bread crisp and put it through a meat chopper. Season the crumbs with salt, add a little melted butter, a beaten egg, and enough stock to thoroughly moisten them. Spread about an inch thick on the top of the pie. Cook for a short time, or until the pie is thoroughly heated, with the top covered, then remove the cover and brown the crumbs. If the meat of the pie has absorbed the gravy, send an extra bowl of gravy to the table.

**Strawberry Ice Cream.**—Allow two cups of sugar to two quart boxes of strawberries. Hull the strawberries and wash them, and if necessary sprinkle them with sugar. Let stand two or three hours, then mash them and strain through cheesecloth. Freeze three pints of thin cream to a mush.

then add the fruit juice and freeze till it reaches the proper amount of stiffness. A few whole berries may be added to the cream with the berry juice if liked. If the berries were not very thoroughly drained a little more sugar may be added to them and the whole cooked slowly into a very good filling for Washington pies or roll jelly cake.

**Dumplings.**—One quart pastry flour, one teaspoonful salt, two and one-half teaspoons baking powder; mix soft with milk, roll and cut in squares about two inches each way and a little thinner than biscuit; take the boiling stock from the fire, drop dumplings in one at a time, then replace over the fire, cover them, and boil 20 minutes; take up and serve immediately. If care is taken about having stock stop boiling before putting them in, and then keeping them boiling the 20 minutes they will be light and delicious.

**Date and Rhubarb Pie.**—One pound of dates, one quart of canned rhubarb, three-quarters cup of sugar. Strain the rhubarb and stone the dates. Chop the two together, add the sugar, mix thoroughly, and bake between two crusts. This makes two pies.

### RISES WITH A COMPLAINT.

Alkali Eye Displeased with Vaudeville Performance.

We went up to Houston ter meet with the lumbermen, not that we air a lumberman at all, but we air more or less interested in the plan of making booze from sawdust, and it was up to us to be astir these ducks what they air to do at present with their output; if they ain't drinkin' it up we'd like to make them a proposition lookin' ter th' startin' of a distillery. Ef such a distillery is started we kin guarantee ter dispose of th' output. Whilst we was in Houston we was th' guessed, th' honored guessed, of th' Majestic th'ater, an' we have ben sufferin' from nervous prostration ever since; a duck who done a chair balance on and his feet was th' most thrillin' one we ever seen; he was l'il'le ter fall at any minute an' we'd like to ast what'd become of that beer, ef he had fell? He'd a-busted them bottles as sure as shootin'; we was so nervous at th' bare thought of sech a accident that we ain't got over shudderin' yet. Later—Since writin' th' above we hee learned that them beer bottles wuz empty, an' that fact makes it even more agervatin'—Alkali Eye, in the Houston Post.

### FATHER HAD HOPES FOR HIM.

Bumptious Youth Got Benefit of a Little Plain Talk.

The following is related of a certain well-known New York business man and his son: The son had just left Harvard and was fired with ambitions which did not include going into his father's office. When he arrived home his parents began seriously to discuss his future. He stated what his ideas were and spoke of the professions as most likely to afford scope for his genius. The law, he thought, would be the likeliest career. His father, however, had not a very high opinion of his abilities, and said so without mincing words. "I think," he declared, "you had better make a beginning by adornin' one of my office stools. We can think about your taking up the law afterward." The young man did not see it that way. Office life he loathed, and said it was an existence fit only for a dog. "Well, my son," returned the father, dryly, "you're not a dog yet, but you'll grow."

TODD'S LIGHT TRANSFER at Candy Palace. Bell 'phone 218.

## MAN SLAIN; WIFE SILENT

IT IS SAID SHE FEARS ASSASSINATION IN THE EVENT SHE TALKS.

### A SENSATION MAY BE UNEARTHED

Mrs. Joseph Loth, of Pittsburg, Kas., Says: That Her Husband Was Shot by Accident—Will Investigate Case

Pittsburg, Kan., July 24.—While driving along the public highway between Yale and McCormick camp yesterday afternoon, Joseph Loth, of McCormick camp, aged 80, was shot and killed, the ball passing through his heart.

There is a mystery in connection with the cause of the tragedy. Loth was accompanied by his wife and she declared he shot himself, but there are suspicious circumstances connected with the affair which lead to the belief that Loth was the victim of an assassin, and that his wife possibly knows who committed the deed, but for fear of being killed herself, dares not tell.

Loth was, it is said, mixed up in the riot and tragedy at McCormick camp Sunday evening, and yesterday of Charles Secomb, one of the victims of the Sunday tragedy.

It was while on his way home from the Secomb home in Yale to McCormick camp that he was shot.

A man and woman who drove along the road, passing Loth and his wife, state that they were out of the buggy and that other parties were with them, evidently quarreling or talking. The shooting occurred shortly afterwards.

Mrs. Josie Bassett, of McCormick camp, a sister of Joseph Loth, states that her brother was on the way back from the Secomb house, and that while he was taking his revolver out to shoot a dog it was discharged accidentally and the ball killed him.

### A REWARD OF FAITH.

Conclusion Drawn from the Destruction of an Ohio Church.

A congregation in a hilly district in Ohio bought a small tract of land and erected a church building upon it, says the Youth's Companion. Then the question of insurance came up. Mr. Sipes, the wealthiest member, who had contributed more than half the money needed for the new structure, declared that he did not believe in insurance. "This is the Lord's building. He'll take care of it," he said. His view prevailed and there was no insurance. In a few weeks the building was struck by lightning and almost totally consumed by fire. Another one was erected, Mr. Sipes contributing the greater portion of the fund as before. This time the demand was almost unanimous that it be insured, but Mr. Sipes again objected on the same ground. "If it burns down again, brethren," he said, "I'll agree to rebuild it myself." Again he carried his point. In less than a month the new church was struck by lightning again, and although strenuous efforts were made to save it, the loss was almost total. "There must be some reason for this, brethren," said Brother Sipes. "I am going to find out what it is." Thereupon he employed a force of men to sink a shaft on the site of the twice destroyed church. Within a few days a rich vein of iron ore was found and the church property was sold for many times the amount needed to buy land in another locality and build again. "I tell you, brethren," said Brother Sipes, "it pays to trust the Lord. He's a great deal better business manager than anybody in this congregation."

### CURE FOR MORBID WOMEN.

Work and Laughter Will Exorcise Demon of Discontent.

When people have real trouble to contend with they do not sit down and analyze their emotions and remember whether this person or that person looked to the right or to the left when they spoke to them, and exactly what the tones of their voice meant, as the morbid woman does. Morbidity should be accounted a wicked demon that can be driven out. Healthy companionship, laughter, long walks in the sunshine and plenty of work will exorcise the wicked little imp Discontent and make its victim the happy, healthful, hopeful woman she should be. Form a resolve not to be constantly thinking of self, and you will be surprised to discover how much less complicated is your outlook upon existence.—Exchange.

### Money—Money—Money

If you wish to borrow money on real estate or if you wish to loan money on real estate, in either case be sure and see me before doing business.—G. M. Riddle, the real estate and loan man, 310 Ohio street, over Guenther's store, Sedalia, Mo.

## Classified Ads

### FOR SALE

For Sale, Cheap—A good go-cart at 313 East Thirteenth street.

For Sale—Kek-made surrey in good condition.—Otis W. Smith, 503 S. Engineer street.

For Sale or Rent—My home, house, held goods and piano. Mrs. Morrison, 409 East Broadway.

For Sale—Several new pieces of household goods, including gas stove. Apply 322 East Fifth street.

For Sale—Piano, bedroom suit, kitchen range, base burner, canned fruit, etc. 315 West Tenth.

For Sale or Trade—R. W. Elder & Co. offer their entire stock of millinery and fixtures; will sell at a great bargain.

For Sale—A number of well secured real estate loans; also school bonds.—Bente & Wilson, 210 Ohio street. 'Phone 51.

For Sale—First-class restaurant, good location, well established trade, owner desires to engage in other business. Address R. care Democrat-Sentinel.

For Sale—One 3-year-old cow and calf, fresh; 3 full blood Duroc gilts ready to breed, subject to register; one good two seat surrey.—Dr. S. G. Crawford, 621 East Fourteenth St.

### LITTLE THINGS OF LIFE.

Quarrelsome Individual Asserts Man Has Much to Learn.

"It's queer how little most people know about little things," said a quarrelsome man not long since. "Some day I am going to start a school where only the minutiae of life will be taught—how to button the coat when you put it on, how to brush a hat, and so on. Not one in a hundred persons knows it is a mistake to button the bottom of a coat first. The top button should be the first one, otherwise the shape of the coat, even if it is carefully tailored, is seriously affected. This little pointer alone would save many persons a lot of money. A hat should always be brushed in the direction opposite to the hands of a clock. Otherwise the pile of the felt is taken out and the hat given a cheap, poor appearance. Of course, with straw this does not apply. In the care of paste, too, it is odd how little is known by most people. The best way to buy paste nowadays is in the water-well jars put up by all large manufacturers. Then when such a jar is gotten keep the well always half full of water. If paste becomes hard, too, from lack of use stir it with a stick until it has proper consistency. If obdurate add a little water. If still obdurate after this add a little glycerin and water. This will put it in good condition. Altogether, if people only knew more about the little things of life and less of the pretentious and immaterial ones, it would be a far happier place to live in—this world we have down here."

### LOOKED LIKE CLEAR CASE.

Appearances Very Much Against Innocent Man.

"It's an imposition for a woman to ask her husband to do errands for her in the stores," said the subdued looking man. "I never fail to get in wrong, somehow, whenever I get something for my wife. The other day I had a bad five routes on her account. She had given a teaspoon to me, one of our wedding presents it was, to get engraved. I shoved it into my side pocket and thought I would wait till I went out to lunch and turn it over to a jeweler friend of mine down near where I eat. I had my luncheon first, and forgot about the spoon. While the lady cashier was getting my change I pulled a handkerchief out of my side pocket and that infernal spoon fell to the floor with a big rattle. I could hear people near me saying, 'Funny a decent duck like that would try to get away with a spoon.' Of course I squared it with the cashier all right by simply showing her the spoon, but I've always been ashamed to go back and take a chance on meeting some of the same crowd there again."

### Marriage Licenses Issued.

County Recorder Walter Morey issued a marriage license late yesterday afternoon to Charles W. Laipple and Marie T. Teeling, both of Sedalia. Licenses issued today follow: John R. Starkey and Ollie B. Bond, Sedalia. E. L. Love, Lamonte; Myrtle Hall, Sedalia. John M. Reno and Nina M. Cochran, both of Sedalia.

### CASORIA.

Bears the Signature of The Kind You Have Always Bought

### FOR RENT

For Rent—Two front rooms for light housekeeping, first floor. 605 S. Engineer street.

For Rent—Six room cottage, modern, 420 West Sixth street. Inquire 422 West Sixth street.

For Rent—Three unfurnished rooms and two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 112 E. Seventh.

For Rent—Modern six room cottage No. 811 West Fifth street; bath, electric lights, etc. Apply J. A. Lamy.

For Rent—A four room cottage with all conveniences, one block and a half from depot. Apply 103 East Jefferson street.

For Rent—Eight rooms and bath, 720 West Fourth street; possession given August 1. Apply E. W. Dogan, 116 East Fifth street.

For Rent—My three room house, 515 S. Engineer street; good cellar; in good repair; good water. Inquire Nicholson & White.

### WANTED

Wanted—Girl for light housework, small family. 1302 S. Lamine St.

Wanted—A good dining room girl, in a private boarding house. 117 E. Seventh.

### A RHODE ISLAND CLAM BAKE

Given By a Railway President to Member of His Staff.

New York, July 24.—Special trains on the New York Central railway today carried the staff of the New York railway company to Brewster, N. Y., to pay the annual visit to the country home of President H. H. Vreeland.

In accordance with his established custom, President Vreeland will give his employees a Rhode Island clam bake. In the afternoon Mrs. Vreeland will be the hostess at an informal luncheon at the "Rest-a-While," the country home of the millionaire railroad magnate, where hospitality will be dispensed with a lavish hand.

### Courage.

Gen. H. M. Robert in an address in Philadelphia said that it was impossible for a woman to love a man without courage—that to the coward woman's love was denied.

"Men know this," Gen. Robert appended afterward, "and therefore the slightest imputation on their courage is felt horribly. The mind magnifies it till it becomes as great a slur as—"

"But let me tell you a story. A city man went hunting. After he had banded away for some hours without success two boys who had been following him approached and the older said: 'Say, mister, if you're out for sport and ain't afraid to pay for it, my brother'll let you shoot at him for two hours for a quarter.'"

### Williams' Kidney Pills.

Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent a desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you. Sample free. By mail, 50c.—Williams Mfg. Co., Props., Cleveland, Ohio. W. E. Fard Drug Co.

**PILES**—Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, always the itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and Itching of the private parts. Every box is warranted. By druggists, by mail on receipt of price, 50 cents and \$1.00. WILLIAMS MANUFACTURING CO., Props., Cleveland, Ohio.

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Sedalia, Mo.

## "LET HER DHROWN"

TONY'S REVENGE ON HOT TEMPERED ACTRESS.

Old-Time Theatrical Manager Recalls Amusing Experience That Came Near Breaking Up the Show—Quick Resuscitation.

"In the wild and woolly days of Cheyenne, when the men of the town were so much occupied at night that it was a rare sight to see one of them on the street before noon, I was the manager of a theater there called the Gold Room, in which we employed a small dramatic stock company and a few specialty performers. Tony, who was a clever Irish comedian and singer, was a member of the stock and a very useful man, except when he was rubbed the wrong way.

"The leading woman, known as Monte Verde, was of Spanish descent and had the quick temper so often found in members of that race. There was no love lost between her and Tony at best, but they never really quarreled until one evening, when she was coming up a flight of rather dark stairs and he was going down, he glanced to step squarely upon her foot. It was an accident, of course, but I suppose it hurt no less on that account. At any rate, she gave Tony such a tongue lashing as one seldom gets from a woman. When she had finished her tirade he answered, quietly:

"'Fer that lasht rema-ark I'm goin' to let ye dhrown in the palce to-night.'"

"I overheard this, but thought nothing of it, and went away laughing.

"The piece we were playing that week was called 'A Woman of the World.' The second scene of the first act is the deck of a Hudson river steamboat; time, night. The only deck passenger is an Irish glazier (Benton). The heroine of the piece (Monte Verde) has been deserted by her lover, who has gone to New York, and she is following him my this boat. Humiliation, however, at last overcomes her, and she resolves upon suicide. Coming upon deck, she makes a long speech, closing with: 'Good-by, father; good-by, mother; forgive me for this rash act,' and jumps overboard. The glazier jumps after and rescues her; and as he lifts her over the rail the curtain falls on the first act.

"That particular night she made her speech and jumped, but Benton made no move to rescue her. I happened to be standing in the entrance, and called to him in a loud stage whisper: 'Tony! Tony!'

"He calmly turned around toward me and said:

"'Phwat is it?'

"'Jump overboard and get that woman, Quick!'

"'Aw,' said he, with supreme indifference, 'let'er dhrown.'

"We were compelled to ring the curtain down without rescuing her. She was drowned all right enough, but we had to resuscitate her before the piece could go on."

### Revival of Old Inns.

When the railway superseded the diligence, the coach, the chaise and Sterne's "disobligeant" as means of European travel it was natural that the small roadside inn should suffer loss of patronage.

Your tourist, unless a sentimental journeyer like Sterne or Stevenson, began to leap by rail from spot to spot, like a grasshopper upon a map. He breakfasted in London, took train, lunched in Brighton, New Haven or Dover, had tea at Calais or Dieppe and supped in Paris.

Now with dining cars he's even worse, unless he be a motorist—a sentimental motorist. And despite speed and rumors of speed, there are such things as sentimental motorists. Indeed, it is owing very largely to this class that such of the old inns of France and England as managed to survive the introduction of the railroads have blossomed into renewed prosperity and usefulness.—Travel Magazine.

### Big Man's Long Row in Small Boat.

John Carmody of Washington recently made a trip from that city to Colonial Beach, a distance of more than 70 miles, in a small rowboat eight feet long, four and a half feet wide and seven inches deep, and as Mr. Carmody tips the beam at 247 pounds the trip is a remarkable one. Mr. Carmody left Washington June 26, and with no other motive power than a pair of oars and a big umbrella, like those used on wagons, which he used as a sail, he made the trip in 48 hours and arrived in safety at the beach Friday, June 28. On the trip Mr. Carmody made several stops along the shore to make himself some coffee and to cook something to eat. But in order to make the time he did he had to keep going steadily, with but little time for sleep.

### Mrs. Ramey Not So Well.

Mrs. S. F. Ramey, collector for the Queen City Telephone Co., returned this forenoon from Hughesville, where she had been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. J. D. Ramey, who was operated upon Monday, and whose condition is reported to be not so favorable.

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46c for full Bleached Sheets.  
2.87 for \$5 Shirt Waist Suits.  
17c for 50c Hand Bags.  
87c for \$1.25 Corsets.  
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2.95 for any trimmed Hat up to \$7 value.  
34c for Lawns.  
10c for oil cloth.  
2.89 for 5.00 Skirts.  
37c for Men's 75c Shirts.  
39c for 75c Under-muslins.  
17c for 50c Lisle Gloves.  
32c for Men's fine Underwear.  
2.69 for \$5 Silk Waists.  
17c for 50c Tooth Brushes.  
3c for Men's Ties.  
4.87 for \$8 hem-stitched linen sets.

## VOTE ON LOCAL OPTION

Saloon License at Fulton, Mo., is \$4,000 a Year.

Fulton, Mo., July 24.—The city council met in special session last night to consider the petition demanding a local option election.

The council ordered the election to be held August 26. A petition was also presented to the county court asking for a local option election in Callaway county.

The election in the county will be held August 24. All local saloons are closed as a result of an ordinance raising the license to \$4,000 a year.

The license for the past two years has been \$3,000, and two saloons did business.

## TO END LABOR TROUBLES

An Important Conference is On in San Francisco.

San Francisco, July 24.—Means for bringing to an end the disastrous labor troubles that have so greatly retarded the progress of San Francisco during the last year are being earnestly considered at an industrial peace conference in Christian Science hall today.

Many leading business men and labor leaders of the city and the state are taking part in the discussion.

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## REGARDING RAILROADS

MAIL CLERKS ON THE KATY ARE SHIFTED AROUND IN THEIR RUNS.

## COACH, CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

Railway Mail Clerk Allison, who has been running on train No. 3 on the Katy, between Sedalia and Parsons, Kan., and Clerk Hobart, who has been on Nos. 1 and 2 between Sedalia and Parsons, are transferred to a through run on trains Nos. 5 and 6, between St. Louis and Parsons.

Clerk Boss, who has been on Nos. 5 and 6, is transferred to train No. 1, between here and Parsons, while Clerk Gibbons, who has been on Nos. 5 and 6 also, is transferred to train No. 3, between Sedalia and Parsons. Clerk Kinkade, who has been on train No. 1, is transferred to train No. 3.

### Service to Begin Sunday.

Agents on the Crane branch of the Missouri Pacific received notice yesterday from the passenger officials of the system at St. Louis that passenger service between Springfield and Joplin will be installed next Sunday. There will be a double daily passenger service between Springfield and Joplin, and a fast freight service between Springfield and Crane, connecting with all north and south bound Iron Mountain trains at Crane.

Bids for the new freight depot to be erected in Springfield will be opened in St. Louis on July 27. Plans are now being prepared for a passenger station to cost \$65,000.

The last of the land needed by the Missouri Pacific to complete the right of way through Springfield was purchased yesterday afternoon, when a deal was closed for the five-story building occupied by the Sisby stove works. The price paid for the property was \$35,625.

### Favors Handcar Service.

Editor Roy Morris says in the House of Representatives today: "If the railroad commission sees fit to order a reduced speed on the Lexington branch, as they will undoubtedly do, in view of the wretched track conditions, the section men along the track might swell their incomes to generous proportions by inaugurating a passenger service a la hand car from station to station."

### Looking After the Mail.

Supt. N. J. Finney, of the Katy, today issued a circular requesting passenger conductors to be careful and watch the handling of United States mail at different points along the line and if agents or mail carriers make the handling of mail of secondary consideration to report the same by wire.

### The Orders Were Misread.

The Pere Marquette railroad, after investigation of the Iowa wreck in which thirty-two were killed, finds that the conductor, engineer, fireman and rear brakeman of the freight all misread their orders which said that the passenger train would be in Salem at 9:10 o'clock, while they read it as 9:25 o'clock.

### Automatic Couplers.

J. T. Westbrook, Missouri Pacific roadmaster, went to Myrick today on business.

C. S. Taylor, route agent for the American Express company, went to St. Louis today.

S. R. Bunch, Missouri Pacific trainmaster at Jefferson City, is visiting local officials today.

Dr. Charles McNeil, of the Katy hospital staff, went to Ottumwa today on legal business.

Missouri Pacific fast mail train No. 7, due here at 6:57 a. m., arrived at 8:02 o'clock this morning.

Roy Walker, a street car conductor who has been visiting at St. Louis, resumed work this morning.

George James, a Missouri Pacific machinist's apprentice, has resigned and intends going to St. Louis.

Herbert Fritz, motineer on the Third street car line, is laying off. Motineer Allcorn has the run.

Hereafter Katy trains Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 will stop on flag at Chouteau Springs for the summer season.

J. W. McClain, city passenger and ticket agent for the Missouri Pacific, went to Marshall today on business.

Missouri Pacific train No. 10 was run in two sections this morning, the second section carrying late connections.

S. K. Bullard, superintendent of telegraph for the Katy, returned last

## Biliousness

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night from a business visit at Dallas, Texas.

The Katy shipped about eighty cars of stock through here last night and today, about one-half of which was fed here.

M. W. Crotty, Missouri Pacific train dispatcher at Jefferson City, went to McAllister Springs this morning for a week's visit.

Joe Frick, a Missouri Pacific engineer running out of Kansas City, returned there this morning, after visiting relatives here.

E. E. Blackley, traveling passenger agent for the Missouri Pacific railway at Wichita, Kan., was a business visitor here yesterday.

W. D. Moore, chairman of the E. of L. F. and E. grievance committee on the Katy, left this morning for a visit in Texas on business.

A. A. McHaffey, former freight and yard agent for the Missouri Pacific, and family, left this afternoon for Los Angeles, Cal., to reside.

Harry Umstead, day caller for the Katy, went to Clinton this morning to work tonight. Earl Eckhoff, night caller, is doubling today.

Chief Train Dispatcher A. H. Lander, of the Missouri Pacific, went west this morning on No. 37 to familiarize himself with the road.

"Jack" Bowers, the efficient Missouri Pacific train dispatcher, is now "presiding" as chief train dispatcher, in the absence of A. H. Lander.

An empty car on Missouri Pacific train No. 64 became derailed at Montserrat at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, causing a two hours' delay.

G. S. Hayden, a Missouri Pacific conductor, who has been off from work for ten weeks with an injury, will resume his duties Friday.

The surgeons at the Katy hospital are getting their share of work during the hot weather. Today 125 patients are registered at the hospital.

Katy train No. 3 was run in two sections this morning, the first section being G. W. Bradfield's crew, running light to Parsons, Kan., to return with stock.

M. L. Byers, engineer of maintenance of way for the Missouri Pacific, in a special train, passed through here today, on his way to Kansas City, inspecting the road.

Katy officials are complaining of the lack of water to supply their engines and trains, there having been no water here for several days. What's the trouble?

J. W. McAdams, a Katy conductor, left this morning for Kansas City, where he will join his wife, after which the two will enjoy a visit of several weeks in the north.

Lee Fowler, stenographer for Superintendent of Telegraph Bullard of the Katy, returned last night from Walnut, Kan., where he was called by the death of his grandmother.

Cecil H. Halliburton, a Katy bridge man from Smithville, Texas; J. E. Norris, a Denison, Texas, shopman, and Jake DeVance, a tie plant laborer from Greenville, Texas, re new patients at the Katy hospital.

Owing to the derailed freight car this side of Warsaw on the Warsaw branch yesterday, the Commercial Traveler, due here at 4:40 p. m., arrived here at 6:50 o'clock, while the derailed train reached Sedalia at 10:40 o'clock.

John Smasal, the Missouri Pacific shopman, who has not been in good health for some time past, departed last night for the company hospital in St. Louis, and it may be necessary for him to undergo an operation before he returns.

A veteran concrete man for the Katy, named Walgamuth, who has been employed at Durant, I. T., recently, is a patient at the company hospital, suffering from a fractured leg in two places and a dislocated hip, caused by being knocked off a bridge.

M. L. Byers, engineer of maintenance of way of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain system, will accompany the members of the Missouri railroad commission over the Missouri Pacific, between St. Louis, Kansas City and Joplin on their inspection trip.

Tickets Are Good.

Hire's root beer, Coca Cola and Dr. Pepper tickets are good at the Arlington pharmacy for a free glass of any of these drinks.

## WROTE ORIGINAL 'DIXIE'

COL. WILLIAM HAYS, OF LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, IS DEAD AT 70.

## HIS NAME WILL LIVE IN HISTORY

For Years Veteran Editor and Song Writer Had Been With Courier-Journal—Correspondent in Civil War.

Louisville, Ky., July 24.—Colonel William S. Hays, author of the original "Dixie," veteran river editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, poet, song writer and musician, died last night at his home in this city at the age of 70. He was stricken with paralysis ten days ago.

Colonel Hays was born in Louisville July 19, 1837, and, with the exception of his college days and the time spent in the south as a war correspondent in the civil war, all of his life was spent here. He wrote more than 500 hundred ballads, many of which became famous.

While in the south as a war correspondent Colonel Hays became captain of the Gray Eagle, a steamboat on the Mississippi river and while engaged in this work he wrote the song, "My Southern Sunny Home." For this work he was arrested by General Butler, who was in command of New Orleans. He was soon afterward released, however. On his return to Louisville Colonel Hays again took up newspaper work, in which he continued until his recent illness. He is survived by a widow and two children.

The plantation songs of Colonel Hays, who wasn't colonel of anything except Kentucky are sung throughout America. "Roll On, Heave Dat Cotton," "Keep in the Middle of de Road," "The Old Log Cabin in the Lane," "Mollie Darling" and "Way Down Yonder in de Cornfield" are heard often.

He rarely published his plantation songs, but composed them and gave them to popular minstrels. All he wanted was the name of being the author. Of his more than half a hundred published songs less than half had a heavy sale after publication. Next to "Evangeline" was "Molly Darling," and the latter ones are mostly local in sale.

Several years ago he entered into a contract for a year to compose a song for each month and write a poem for each month. "Old-Fashioned Roses Are Sweetest" was the only ballad that made a hit and his writings showed plainly mechanical construction. During all this time he edited his river department with a weekly negro dialect department, "Old Ike," and edited the weekly edition of the paper.

Editorials written especially for the weekly had frequent references to the "latest sweetest song of the gifted song writer, Colonel Will S. Hays." He would not hesitate to write at any time a complimentary notice of himself, and the happiest day he ever knew was when the magnificent Ohio river steamer, the Will S. Hays, was launched.

Colonel Hays always claimed the authorship of the original words of "Dixie," and said that he was responsible for the arrangement of the music. His version of Dixie was written before the outbreak of the civil war, but the words were considered so "seditions" that the writer was arrested and compelled to change them. By that time "Dan" Emmett, the minstrel, had written his song and his publisher had it copyrighted.

## THREE OTHER WEDDINGS

They Were Celebrated at Tipton, Mo., During Today.

Three marriages were solemnized at Tipton today, when Albert Larimore, a Katy shopman of this city, and Mrs. Fannie Clarey, a dressmaker of Tipton, were united in marriage at the home of the bride, six miles northeast of Tipton.

Elmer Arnold, a farmer of ten miles southeast of Boonville, and Miss Mary Larimore were united in marriage at the same place.

Edward Maples, a railroad employee of Fortuna, and Miss Lillie Larimore were also married at the same place. After the wedding, dinner was served at the home.

### Off On a Vacation.

Mrs. F. DeVoll, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Marvel, left on the noon train today for Glenarm, a suburb of Springfield, Ill., where they will remain for the time being. Later, Miss DeVoll will go to St.

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Joseph, where she will study violin under Caesar Thompson, a noted violin instructor, after which she will prepare for a course of study in Europe.

## MRS. FUEL EXPLAINS

Tells of Her Connection With the Love-Johnson Baby Case.

## NOT LIMIT TRAIN SPEED

Commission Hears Missouri Pacific Has Improved Its Tracks.

St. Louis, July 24.—The order which the Missouri state board of railroad and warehouse commissioners issued stipulating that the speed of the Missouri Pacific trains should be reduced between Jefferson City and Kansas City to thirty miles an hour probably will not be put into effect.

The members of the commission say they have learned since the order was issued that the improvements which the company started before the order was issued have been carried to the sections included in the ruling and that the track and roadbed of the Missouri Pacific are in as good condition as those of any competitive line in Missouri or any other southwestern state.

## \$45,000 SHORTAGE ALLEGED

Custody County Clerk at Louisville Is Arrested.

Louisville, Ky., July 24.—William J. Semonin, retiring county clerk, was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of embezzlement, it being alleged that he is short in his accounts as clerk of Jefferson county in a sum approximating from \$45,000 to \$50,000.

Semonin's office was declared vacant by the court of appeals in the election contest cases.

When interviewed last night, Semonin said a full examination of the books would show that he did not owe the state over \$22,000, his collections for June and July, which he had the legal right to withhold until he had been given his quibus, and which will be paid in full.

## HIS TROUSERS STOLEN

St. Louis Man, Charles L. Newcomb, Taken Home in a Barrel.

St. Louis, Mo., July 24.—Charles L. Newcomb, vice president of the Newcomb Bros. Wall Paper company, knows how it feels to be abroad in the land without any trousers. Mr. Newcomb's trousers were purloined yesterday while he was swimming, and he went home in a barrel.

Business along the route was suspended while Mr. Newcomb was homeward bound. The distance he traversed was half a mile.

Later he found the trousers nailed up near the pool with "For Sale" placarded on them.

### Knows Nothing of Accident.

Mrs. Alonzo Garber, who several weeks ago was thrown from a vehicle and seriously injured, was able to be removed out of doors today. She is partially unconscious yet, and has no recollection whatever of the accident.

## MORIMOTO

Was brought from Japan to repeat last year's success in Chautauqua work. Hear him tonight and see the moving pictures of Japanese life at the Chautauqua.

Mrs. Anna Fuel, at whose house the baby that was found buried on a bluff near Boonville was born, and about which so much has recently appeared in the newspapers, called at the Democrat-Sentinel office this morning and stated that the account of the affair as printed in this paper was practically correct.

Mrs. Fuel says that Mrs. Love came to her home in Boonville and wanted to stay only one day; that she was taken sick and that the baby was born, with a nurse and two physicians in attendance.

At Mrs. Love's request Mr. Fuel telephoned to a grocery store in Sedalia for Mr. Love to call him up. Later a man who said he was Love answered and was told what the trouble was, and came to Boonville on the next train. He was introduced to the family as Mr. Love, husband of the woman, and took charge of affairs, paid all bills, had the box made and after the baby had been placed in it, took it away, saying he would take it to Sedalia.

Afterwards, according to Mrs. Fuel, it turned out that the so-called Love was really Cecil Johnson.

## WAS BURNED TO DEATH

Sawdust Was Smoldering and the Boy Leaped Into It.

Pikeville, Ky., July 24.—Not knowing there was a smoldering fire beneath a pile of sawdust at Fuller's mill, on Dry Fork, this county, Frank McCowan, the 11-year-old son of Wesley McCowan, jumped into the sawdust, and his legs were burned to crisp below his knees.

He was rescued by the mill hands, who were attracted by his screams, but he died in agony a few hours afterward. The fire was hidden by the fresh sawdust that had been thrown on the pile.

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